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LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Frank A. Buttrick of Wolcott avenue has purchased a Hudson touring car.

Theresa Basso, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Basso is ill with diphtheria at her home on Chestnut street.

Miss Elizabeth Boyd, formerly of this town but now of Charlestown, is spending several days with friends here.

At Christ church on Sunday afternoon at 4.30, evening prayer will be held with a service of admission for the Girl's Friendly Society.

Miss Emma Michelini of North Main street has entered the employ of the Boston and Maine Railroad at their Boston office.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon G. Saunders of Hoboken, N. J., are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Saunders on Brook street. Mr. Saunders is athletic director and instructor in Stevens Institute.

Miss Florence MacCreadie has returned from the South where she has been teaching at Pembroke Hall, Hampton, Virginia. Miss MacCreadie will spend the vacation weeks studying at Harvard University.

The Christ church Sunday school and parish picnic will be held at Salem Willets on Wednesday, June 23. The committee in charge of arrangements consists of Miss Ruth Whiting, Miss Isabella Killackey and C. J. Humphreys.

The regular meeting of Andover Grange on Tuesday evening was enjoyed by a large gathering of members. The program consisted of a piano duet by Mrs. Herbert Merrick and Marion Abbott; Paper on Birds by Mrs. S. H. Bailey; whistling solo, Mrs. Bernice Abbott, accompanist, Mrs. Merrick; talk on the work of the Andover Natural History Society by Miss Clara Putnam; reading, Miss Gladys Hill; vocal solos, Miss Caroline Burt. The next meeting will be held on June 22, and will be observed as Children's Night.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Miss Marjorie Dalton of Lynn spent the week-end with her aunt, Mrs. Mary Dalton, on Main street.

The final meeting of the season of the Andover Civics class will be held in the lower town hall on Tuesday afternoon, June 15 at 3 o'clock.

Mrs. Linton R. Newhall of Perth Amboy, N. J., is spending several days at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Collins on Chestnut street.

The Andover Cricket club will play the Brechin team, Saturday afternoon at 2.45 o'clock on the local Cricket field.

Mrs. Edward E. Hammond and daughter have returned to their home on Allen court after three weeks spent with Mrs. Hammond's mother in New York.

At a meeting of the members of Punchard High school's last year's football team, held yesterday, Percy Crosby was unanimously elected manager of the football team for the coming season. Crosby is a member of the class of 1917, and is very popular.

The Punchard High school baseball team will play its last game of the season on Saturday afternoon with Essex High as its opponent. The Punchard boys have had a very successful season and there should be a good attendance to help the boys win over their New Hampshire rival. The game will be played on the local playstead.

Every son of a veteran eligible to membership in the Order of Sons of Veterans is hereby cordially invited to be present at a "Camp Fire" to be held Friday evening, June 11, at 8 o'clock in G. A. R. Hall. Orations by noted out-of-town orators, patriotic readings, songs and refreshments will make for you an evening of rare entertainment and enjoyment. Come and bring another with you.

G. W. Gilbert,
for the committee.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Miss Gertrude Shea of Morton street has entered the employ of Hiller & Co.

The regular meeting of Andover council No. 65 Royal Arcanum will be held this evening.

Rev. and Mrs. Francis H. Johnson of Elm street left town yesterday for their summer home in Bar Harbor, Me.

The regular monthly meeting of the Andover Club will be held at the club rooms on Saturday evening, at 8.15 o'clock.

The regular morning service will be held in the Phillips Academy chapel on next Sunday, but the vesper service will be omitted.

A. P. Thompson has purchased, through the agency of the Robinson Hardware company of Lawrence, an eight-cylinder Cadillac touring car, the first eight-cylinder car in Andover.

Miss Caroline M. Davis, who has taught mathematics in the Punchard School for four years, has resigned her position. She will spend a year in travel through the west. Miss Davis leaves large circle of friends in Andover.

At a session of probate court held in Salem on Wednesday, letters of administration were granted on the estates of the late Alice J. Boutwell, Frederic S. Boutwell, administrator; Alice Beattie, Julia Beattie administratrix.

The Junior class of Punchard entertained the Seniors with an auto-truck party at Canobie Lake yesterday afternoon and evening. The young people had a very enjoyable time. A basket lunch was served, the Juniors treating the Seniors to the good things which they had provided.

The Congregational Club of North Essex will meet at Trinity church, Lawrence, on Monday evening, June 14, at 6.30 o'clock, for Ladies' Night. Supper at 7 p.m. Annual election. The speakers will be Rev. Wm. H. Ryder, on Securing Gospel Results by the Culture Methods; Rev. C. H. Oliphant, Albert E. Heald and W. E. Rowell on the Billy Sunday Method. Miss Marion Gould, soloist.

At a jury waived session of superior court before Judge Jenny on Wednesday morning, Juliette Dearborn was granted a decree nisi in her divorce case against her husband John E. Dearborn. Mrs. Dearborn testified that they were married at Nashua, N. H., May 2, 1910 and they lived together at Andover and Lawrence. She claimed that her husband's treatment had caused her to lose her health. She is employed at the brush factory in Frye Village and resides at the Hillside on Shawheen road.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Punchard School Commencement

Wednesday, June 10—
Class Day Exercises on the School Lawn at 3.30.

Thursday, June 17—
Graduating Exercises in the Town Hall at 8 o'clock.

Friday, June 18—
Senior Reception in the Town Hall at 8 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hulme and family have removed from Main street to Central street.

Rev. and Mrs. Frank R. Shipman and children Mary and Tom, have returned to Andover for the summer months.

Neal A. Millane, formerly employed by James H. Playdon, the local florist, in Frye Village, was recently appointed a justice of the peace in Middletown, Conn.

The secretary of the New England Civics Institute announces that the Andover class will not meet again before next October. As it was announced that the class would meet next Tuesday, members will please note the change.

Selectmen Charles Bowman and W. S. Donald, Town Clerk Geo. A. Higgins and J. Harry Playdon attended a dinner given by the Lowell division officers of the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company on Wednesday evening.

The first cricket game of the season will be played on the local grounds Saturday afternoon, between the Andover Cricket club and a team of cricketers of Brechin, Scotland, now resident in Andover and Lawrence. Play will begin at 2.45 o'clock.

George Abbot son of Mr. and Mrs. George Abbot of Central street, played second base for Harvard against Princeton Saturday and knocked out a home run. He has been playing a remarkable game at second base all season and his work has been favorably commented upon.

Get up a party. Leave Boston on Bangor boat, Friday, July 2nd, at 5.00 p.m. Arrive at the famous Northport Inn on the Penobscot Bay for breakfast, July 3rd. Attend Grand Ball same evening, spend Saturday, Sunday and Monday at the Northport Inn, returning to arrive in Boston 7.00 a.m., July 6th. Round trip fare on boat, including stateroom, \$8.50. Board and room at Northport Inn, \$5.00. Where can you have a more enjoyable time at a small expense? Address for Booklet and further details, W. Franklin Burnham, Prop., 294 Washington St., Boston. Tel. Fort Hill 3053.

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Faherty to Captain Andover

Charles L. Faherty of Chicago, Ill., has been elected to lead the Phillips Academy baseball team next season. He is a non-returning middle, but is to return to school in the fall and be a member of the class of 1916. The election was held Tuesday and Faherty was unanimously elected.

Faherty was a member of the baseball squad for two years. He went into bat in the ninth inning of the game with Exeter a year ago. The game was played at Andover. He has played regularly all season in center field and he is one of the best out-fielders the school has had.

Faherty made but one error all season and that was in the Exeter game. He played in 11 games, had 43 put-outs, four assists and one error. His average was .944. In the batting line was 39 times at bat, scored six runs and made seven hits for an average of 179. He is 18 years old, weighs 140 pounds and stands five feet nine inches tall. He intends to go to Yale.

Obituary

MRS. MARY A. DRISCOLL

The many friends of Mrs. Mary A. Driscoll, wife of Patrick Driscoll, were surprised and shocked to hear of her very sudden death on last Sunday morning. Her death was due to acute indigestion and she was ill but a few hours.

Mrs. Driscoll with her husband, and son Leo had spent Saturday shopping in Boston. She had partaken of a hearty supper and on her return to Andover complained of feeling ill. She lay down to rest and her condition became so alarming that it was thought advisable to summon a physician. Dr. Conroy was called and he did everything possible to relieve her condition. Although strenuous efforts were made she failed to respond to treatment and passed away early Sunday morning.

Mrs. Driscoll was born in Cambridge and lived there until a young woman. About thirty years ago she came to Andover to live. She was married twice, her first husband being Mr. Shea. Two daughters, Misses Nellie and Charlotte Shea, were born to this union but both passed away in young womanhood. She later married Patrick Driscoll and he with one son Leo, survives.

Mrs. Driscoll was an estimable woman who had a large circle of friends. She was an earnest worker in St. Augustine's church and was a member of the Sacred Heart Sodality.

Funeral services were held at nine o'clock on Tuesday morning, Rev. Fr. Riordan celebrating a high mass of requiem and at the offertory "Pie Jesu" was sung. The pall bearers were John Leary, Charles Bowman, John Stewart, James Duggan, Patrick Scanlon and Arthur Scanlon. Interment was in St. Augustine's cemetery.

Besides a large number of floral tributes which were sent by relatives and friends, spiritual bouquets were received from Mr. and Mrs. Jeremiah Leary, Ladies' Auxiliary, A. O. H., Mr. and Mrs. James Duggan, John Stewart, Miss Lizzie Casey, James Eldred, Mrs. James McDonald, Mrs. Annie Duane and Lizzie Leary, Mrs. Eliza Burke, Miss Annie Minahan, Miss Isabel Murphy.

MRS. HENRY BARTON

Mrs. Henry Barton, a resident of Main street in the southern part of the town, died suddenly on Sunday morning death being caused by heart failure. She was apparently in perfect health and her death came suddenly and unexpectedly while busy about the house.

Mrs. Barton was born in Guysbow, Nova Scotia, and for the last six years has made Andover her home. She is survived by her husband and two sons.

The funeral was held on Tuesday afternoon from the Baptist church, the service being conducted by Rev. W. E. Lombard. Interment was in the Spring Grove cemetery.

I. O. G. T. Notes

A regular weekly meeting of the Pride of Andover juvenile lodge was held on Wednesday evening. Elta Brown, C. T., presided. The attendance was large, many adult members being present. Three new members were admitted and after the initiation the superintendent urged the juveniles to continue the work of increasing the membership.

The Good of the Order competition was continued and after a long session the following were awarded prizes: Ina Falconer, Bella Benson, Alice Buick and Christine Mears. The children are eagerly looking forward to the next meeting.

Abbott Village lodge held a regular weekly meeting on Monday evening with Chief Templar Robert Auchterlonie presiding. There were fellow-members present from Haverhill, Lowell, and Methuen. Keeping up the good work of last quarter when there were new members admitted at every meeting, Brother Neil Campbell and Past Chief George Keith reported from the district meeting held last week.

Under the Good of the Order a night of Scottish songs and readings was enjoyed. Brothers Neil Campbell, Wm. Benson, Alex. Auchterlonie, George and Joseph Keith, Sr., and Sisters Jessie Nicoll, Mrs. Ross, Mrs. Joseph Keith, Sr., and Mrs. G. Fyfe took part. Prizes were awarded, a box of cigars for Wm. Benson and a large picture of George Washington for Mrs. F. Ross.

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank the many friends for their sympathy and kindness shown us during our recent bereavement.
Patrick Driscoll and Family

Public Works Report

Board of Public Works.

Gentlemen:
My report for the month of May is as follows:

HIGHWAYS

Since my last report, ashes have been placed on Burnham road, from the town farm entrance to the iron bridge. Scraping has been done on High street from Harding to Burnham road and down Burnham road to the residence of Jerry Doucette, cutting in waterways where necessary. A great many small jobs too numerous to mention, have been attended to.

The first application of oil has been applied at a cost of \$830.46; 43,731 sq. yds. being covered, at an average cost of about two cents per sq. yd.

There have been applied 27,700 gallons of Tervia B treated with sand, which completes the blanketing of about eight and one-half miles of 16-foot road. This work did not cost as much as last year because of less patching being done and where streets had been treated with one coat before. For example, Porter road last year required 3000 gallons, and this year 2800 gallons covered it all.

Salem street, from the residence of Jerome Cross to the foot of the hill below Miss Alice Gray's, was covered with Tervia B and sand this year, also about one-half of Morton street constructed last year. Park and Harding streets also received their first coat.

Argilla road has been dragged and stones raked off; Lowell street, from the West church to the Tewksbury line, the same.

Have started to rebuild Bartlett street from Chapel avenue to the residence of B. M. Allen; curb corner, two catch-basins and necessary piping to carry off the water are being put in.

Expenditures on Highway, \$4752.48.

Total expenditures to date, \$7695.00.

Expenditures on Sidewalks, \$227.32.

Total to date, \$557.21.

Expenditures on Park, \$151.46. Total to date, \$238.03.

As requested by The A. V. I. S., the ledge near the fountain on the hill is being removed.

WATER DEPARTMENT

The 6-inch line voted for at the last town meeting, to the residence of James Hovey, has been completed, also a 6-inch line for Phillips Academy on Judson road, off Bartlett street. We are now working on a 200-foot extension on South Main street to the residence of Mr. Lyle.

Expenditures on Water Department, \$603.57; Maintenance, \$650.57; total to date, \$3976.46; Construction, \$1073.56; total to date, \$4607.77.
Balance on Maintenance, \$6173.56.
Balance on Construction, \$2700.00.

SEWER DEPARTMENT

Three hundred feet of main sewer has been laid on Judson road for Phillips Academy. More house connections than usual have been put in on account of the Board of Health enforcing the rules. We expect to start the main sewer for Elm street this week; this must be done before the rebuilding of the road which will follow the completion of the sewer. A main sewer on Avon street will be constructed as soon as Elm street is finished.

Expenditures on Sewers:
Maintenance, \$86.28; total to date, \$679.79.

House connections, \$327.81; total to date, \$610.27.
Common sewer, \$374.50; total to date, \$374.50.

Respectfully submitted,
FRANK L. COLE, Supt.

A Patriotic Appeal

The following appeal has been made by a committee of young men for funds with which to celebrate Fourth of July: July 4th is near and as there is no movement made as yet for a celebration in this town the committee that has served for several years, has taken it on its shoulders to do all the work and collect the funds for the celebration this year.

Business men, please give us your earnest support and show your American spirit. The committee will begin Monday with subscription papers.

The committee in charge is as follows:

A. L. Lundgren, chairman, A. McKee, R. J. Winters and Ralph H. Partridge.
George Higgins, the Town Treasurer, will receive and hold all funds for the celebration.

The June Photo-Era

The leading article in the latest issue of Photo-Era is entitled "Camera-work at the Panama-California Exposition", by Harold A. Taylor. At some of the previous expositions cameramen have been restricted, but at this one by paying 25 cents one can use any size camera and judging from Mr. Taylor's photos a camera would be worth while. "The Wild Flowers of Pike's Peak" is a very interesting contribution. The text and illustrations are by Kenneth Hartley and it is doubtful if a finer set of flower studies were ever presented in one article.

The advantages of using a soft-focus lens is strongly presented by Charles O. Dexter, and the illustrations are of pleasing softness.

"Supplementary Lens-Sets and Their Uses" by A. E. Swayer will interest the advanced worker as the subject is well covered and shows that these sets have their limitations.

William Ludlum, Jr., tells of another trip in Camera-Land, this time by motor boat. Whatever his mode of travel Mr. Ludlum is amusing and it is to be hoped that he has more Side-Trips in stock. "Photographing Dogs" by Arthur G. Eldredge shows careful study of this difficult grade of camera work.

The several departments are up to the usual high standard.

The Exeter Game

There was an abundance of gloom cast over the 500 Andover boys on their return from Exeter on last Saturday afternoon. The gloom was caused by the poor showing of the local boys against their old rival in the annual baseball game which Exeter won by the score of 10 to 2. The score although the most decisive in the history of these contests, does not show the relative strength of the teams but proves rather an off day for the Andover boys. In every department Exeter's superiority showed up strongly owing to the exceptional weakness of Andover.

Captain Butterfield who pitched for Andover did not show any of the form which he has displayed in the previous games this season and was batted pretty hard. On the other hand Comerford showed a decided weakness in the early stages of the game and Andover should have taken the opportunity to make use of this fault, but with reckless base-running and poor coaching, chances to score were thrown away. At the bat Andover was especially poor. Strike after strike was called on the batters when no effort was made to hit the ball.

On the whole neither team played up to form but all the "breaks" of the game went with the New Hampshire boys and they were fortunate enough to take advantage of every slip-up made by Andover.

The score:

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Martin, rf.	5	1	1	0	1	0
Reuther, rf.	0	0	0	0	0	0
Peters, c.	3	2	0	10	3	0
Lowe, lf.	4	2	2	0	0	0
Lynch, lf.	0	0	0	0	0	0
Casey, lf.	0	0	0	1	0	0
MacNamara, cf.	4	2	3	1	0	0
Campbell, cf.	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cleveland, 2b.	4	0	0	2	1	0
Cole, 2b.	0	0	0	0	0	0
FitzGibbon, 1b.	4	1	1	5	1	1
Atha, 3b.	4	1	2	5	3	0
Clough, ss.	3	0	2	1	2	1
Comerford, p.	3	1	1	0	1	0

Totals

	30	10	10	26	11	3
ANDOVER	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Crane, lf.	4	0	2	3	1	0
Faherty, cf.	2	0	1	1	0	0
Sheehan, c.	4	0	0	6	4	0
Swan, 2b.	4	1	2	2	2	1
Gordon, rf.	3	0	0	0	0	0
Wilson, rf.	1	0	0	0	0	0
Brennan, 3b.	4	0	0	0	5	0
Doyle, 1b.	4	0	0	10	1	1
Ashley, ss.	2	1	1	0	1	1
Butterfield, p.	2	0	0	0	2	0
xxChisholm	1	0	0	0	0	0

Totals

	29	2	6	24	15	3
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Butterfield out in the 4th, hit by batted ball.

xx-Batted for Ashley in 9th.

Innings 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

Exeter 3 0 0 4 0 0 3 0 x-10

Andover 0 0 1 1 0 0 0 0 2

Two base hits: Comerford, Atha, Faherty. Home runs: MacNamara 2 Martin, Swan. Stolen bases: Peters, Lowe, Ashley. Double plays: Butterfield to Sheehan to Swan; Atha to Cleveland to FitzGibbon. Left on bases: Exeter 3, Andover 6. Bases on balls: Off Comerford 1; off Butterfield 4. Hit by pitcher: By Comerford 2. Struck out: By Comerford 10, Butterfield 7. Passed ball: Sheehan. Umpires: Lake and White. Time: 2 hrs. Attendance: 5000.

Sidney Peet Resigns

Sidney A. Peet, for fifteen years athletic trainer to the students of Phillips Academy, has resigned his position his connection with the school to terminate at the close of the present school year. In his place has been appointed Vaughn S. Blanchard, Bates College graduate, Olympic hurdler at Stockholm, Sweden, in 1912, and present track coach at New Hampshire State College, Durham, N. H. who will join the Phillips Academy staff of coaches next fall. Mr. Blanchard developed a winning team at Worcester Academy last winter, only to have the leading point-winners declared ineligible for being over-age. During the trouble in regard to Worcester's over-age athletes that followed the B. A. A. indoor meet and made Huntington, instead of Worcester, winner of the championship trophy, Mr. Blanchard was made to appear in a bad light. As a result, he resigned his position at Worcester's track coach, going immediately to Durham to take charge of the New Hampshire State College athletes. The newly appointed Andover coach gets his results in a soft-spoken manner and was intensely popular with the Worcester students. This was evidenced by the fact that he was presented with a loving cup by one of the fraternities, a stop watch by another group of students, besides getting other mementos.

Douglas Crawford of the faculty was this year in charge of the track team. The 1916 coaching plan has not been decided upon, so that Mr. Blanchard's position has not been announced.

Before starting his fifteen-year term here Mr. Peet coached track athletes at Bradford (Pa.) High school. He was prominent as a professional athlete more than a score of years ago, running in the sprints and quarter-mile. Wherever Mr. Peet casts his lot his many Andover friends will wish him an unlimited amount of success and enjoyment.

It has been one of the best years on the track that Andover has had in its history, the relay teams winning dual meets from M. I. T., Worcester Academy and Exeter, capturing the Harvard Interscholastics for the second successive year and winning the relay race from Exeter at the B. A. A. indoor meet.

ABBOTT VILLAGE

Miss Elizabeth Doherty is suffering from a dislocated foot at her home on Higgins court.

Frank Conolly has moved his family from the brick block to Red Spring road. Mrs. Joseph Cunio of Woburn spent the week-end with her daughter, Mrs. Timothy McCarthy, at her home on Red Spring road.

Robert Campbell of Brechin Terrace has gone to Paterson, N. J., where he has accepted a position in a machine shop there.

Mrs. John Ryley of Essex street has gone to the "Ladies' Rest" at North Andover for two weeks.

Misses Mary Jane Hickey and Mary Porter have gone to Gloucester Beach where they will spend the summer.

Miss Isabell Soutar of Melrose spent the week-end at the home of Alex. McLaughlin on Red Spring road.

Augustine Sullivan of the Smith & Dove office made a business trip to Brockton last Saturday.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Leslie died at the family home in Frye Village last Sunday, aged three weeks. Burial was in Spring Grove cemetery.

Northfield Commencement

The annual commencement exercises of the Northfield Seminary were concluded Tuesday consisting of the sacred Concert at the Auditorium, a unique Northfield feature given by the combined student body of Northfield Seminary and Mount Hermon School under the leadership of Prof. N. P. Coffin, of Keene, N. H., making a chorus of nearly a thousand voices; the Baccalaureate Sermon delivered by Dr. W. L. Sperry, Pastor of the Central Church of Boston, on the "value of quality as over against the measure of quantity" which is so much in the minds of the people today; the Estey Chorus Concert on Monday evening and the Commencement Address delivered in the auditorium Tuesday morning by Dr. Sperry. After the address diplomas were given out by the Principal, Prof. C. E. Dickerson, B. A. to the graduating class of thirty-seven. This completes one of the best years in the history of the Seminary at which the aggregate attendance has been 634.

On June 16 the Conference season begins with the session of the Young Women's Conference. This is followed by the Students' Foreign and Home Missionary, Sunday School and General Conference gatherings.

Field Day at St. John's School

Athletics are booming and hold the center of the stage at St. John's Prep these fine June days. The ball team has struck its pace and on Monday at Boston defeated the fast Boston College High team, 4 to 0. Thursday of last week at their home grounds in Danvers they defeated the crack Lowell High School team, 7 to 0, two home runs being features of the game. Saturday they crossed bats with the Boston English High team. All indications point to a record-breaking Field Day on June 17, which is to be held on the college grounds in Danvers. A splendid Athletic Carnival has been arranged under the direction of B. B. Osthues of the B. A. A., and a galaxy of stars have entered, as well as relay teams and the best track men of the leading colleges, high and prep schools and societies, and a program seldom equaled in this vicinity will be offered for the approval of the sport-loving public.

In addition to the athletic events there will be dancing in the gymnasium to the music of a favorite orchestra and on the lawn to the strains of a military band. Motion pictures, a monster flag-raising and prize drill by several battalions of schoolboy cadets and many other features, will be offered to make this day one long to be remembered. The country is especially beautiful at just this time and the event is the pre-eminent attraction and ideal way of spending the holiday. Special train and trolley service will provide ample accommodations for the traveling public.

Banquet for Soccer Team

The Andover Soccer Club has just finished the most successful season in its history. The club is the possessor of two cups, the Marshall Challenge Cup and the Lawrence and Lowell District League Cup. In the five years the Marshall Cup has been in existence Andover has won it four times. This is the first time the United has won the League trophy, but the team always has been very close to the championship in previous years.

The team established a record in winning the championship this year. There were ten clubs competing; Andover played 18 games, won 16, drew 1, and was defeated but once in the league race.

To win the Marshall Cup the team played five games; they defeated Methuen in the first round in an overtime game, drew Lawrence, also overtime, then defeated the city team in the replay. After playing one hour overtime to a draw in the final against South Lawrence, the United won the Cup on Decoration Day with an easy victory. Altogether the team played 28 games, won 21, drew 4, and lost but 3.

The Club will celebrate the double victory with a banquet and dance in the A. O. U. W. hall tonight. The cups will be presented to the club and the players will receive medals from the league.

There is a capable committee in charge and arrangements have been made for about seventy couples. The officers of the championship club were: Chas. J. Hughes, president; Chas. Fettes, vice-president; Edwin Anderson, secretary; Wm. Hyde, treasurer; and Robert Jackson, captain.

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Recital in November Club House

On last Saturday afternoon an interesting recital by the pupils of Miss Ethel Marion Doward was given in the November Club house, before a large and appreciative audience. The pupils are boys and girls of Andover and their playing reflected much credit on the teaching of Miss Doward.

The program follows:

"The Trumpet Call"—6 hands	Charlotte Keith, Ruth Cates, Charlotte Holt
"The Skylark"	Daniel Allen
"Columbine Waltz"	Marion Manning
"Cradle Song"	Ruth Saunders
"Saltarella"	Viola—Liebesfreud
"The Angelus"	Miss Frances Magoon
"Taranella"	"Fiddle dee dee"
"Alc."	Maria Anna and Wolfgang Mozart (Debra and William Reddig)
"The Goblins"	Evelyn Gordon
"Swinging to Sleep"	"April Showers"
"Masurka"	Charlotte Baldwin
"On the Heath"	Charlotte Keith
"Rustic Song"	Mary Peirce
Violin—"Oriental"	Oberass Masurka
"Berceuse"	Miss Magoon
"My Little Boat"	Charlotte Holt
"Rondo Militaire"	Ruth Cates
"Pastorale"	Ruth Cates, Charlotte Keith, Charlotte Holt

ANDOVER SAVINGS BANK

The following pass books issued by the Andover Savings Bank have been lost and applications have been made for the issuance of duplicate books. Public notice of such application is hereby given in accordance with Section 40, Chapter 590 of the Acts of 1908.

Payment has been stopped.
 Book No. 16512
 Book No. 25477
 Book No. 26908

FREDERIC S. DOUTWELL, Treasurer

June 4, 1915

Notice is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed executor of the will of Mae Whitten, otherwise called Marie Wilson late of Andover, in the County of Essex, deceased, testate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to:

JAMES STUART MURPHY, Executor
 (Address)
 May 25, 1915.
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Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PROBATE COURT

ESSEX, SS.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of S. Josephine Shattuck late of Andover, in said County, deceased, intestate.

WHEREAS, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate not already administered of said deceased to Edward Shattuck of Boston in the County of Suffolk without giving a surety on his bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Salem in said County of Essex, on the twenty-first day of June A.D. 1915, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Andover Townsman, a newspaper published in Andover, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, Rollin E. Harmon, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-ninth day of May in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

HORACE H. ATHERTON, Jr., Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PROBATE COURT

ESSEX, SS.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of William B. Graves, late of Andover, in said County, deceased.

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for probate, by Lurash Hodges Graves who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, without giving a surety on her official bond.

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Witness, Rollin E. Harmon, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-seventh day of May in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

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GOVERNOR ENDS 1915 LEGISLATURE Is Prorogued After Long and Stormy Session

Governor Walsh added the word "finis" to the history of the Massachusetts legislature of 1915 by issuing an order for the prorogation of that body.

The New Haven measures—the "stock, bond and mortgage" and "validation" bills, were both passed, after the longest struggle of the year—one which was replete with heated and bitter debate, the feature of which was a sensational attack on the governor by Representative Martin M. Lomasney of Boston.

NEW BECKER MOTION

Counsel For Contemned Man to Move For Re-argument

Still another move in the fight to save the life of Charles Becker has been decided upon by Martin L. Manton, who will make a motion before the New York court of appeals for a re-argument of the case.

The motion will be made on the ground that the justices of the court either misapprehended or overlooked certain material facts in the argument and on which they decided Becker was not entitled to a new trial.

If the motion for a re-argument is granted a printed brief must be submitted and the argument will not be heard orally. It will not act as a stay of execution, but will be decided by the court before it adjourns on June 18. In event of a refusal counsel will then decide the question of appealing to the United States court.

\$48,000,000 DIVIDEND

Ford Motor Company Increases Capital to \$100,000,000

The Ford Motor company increased its authorized capital stock from \$2,000,000 to \$100,000,000, and declared a stock dividend of \$48,000,000, payable July 1.

A cash dividend was declared on the original authorized stock of \$2,000,000, but the amount was not made public. The stock dividend increases the holdings of Henry Ford, president of the company, by \$27,840,000.

The stock increase brings the issued capital stock of the concern to a valuation of \$50,000,000. The remaining \$50,000,000, it was announced, will remain in the company's treasury "to be used as conditions demand in the future."

FIRE LOSS OF \$100,000

Four Business Blocks in a Maine Town Are Destroyed

Four buildings at Thomaston, Me., including the Knox House, the only hotel in the town, the Watts block, owned by the town, a livery stable and a mercantile block containing four stores, were burned.

The loss is approximately \$100,000. W. L. Catland, owner of the stable where the flames started, believes it was set on fire, and the authorities are investigating a report that several men were seen running from the premises after an explosion.

HELD IN \$5000 BAIL

Sailor Harthorn Charged With Killing Hub Hotel Keeper

Merrill Harthorn, a United States navy sailor arrested for manslaughter in connection with the death of John Evans, proprietor of the Evans House, Boston, was held until next Monday on a continuance asked for by the police. Bail was fixed at \$5000.

Harthorn applied at the Evans House for a room, according to the evidence the police have, and in an argument with the proprietor struck Evans. The latter fell and struck his head, dying in a short time.

Shoe Factory to Close

The George M. Keith Shoe company, Brockton, Mass., is to close its factory No. 2 indefinitely, owing to differences with the labor unions.

The factory has been giving work to from 200 to 300 hands, and has been turning out about 2700 pairs a day.

Umpire Tim Hurst Dies

Tim Hurst, former American league umpire, died at Minersville, Pa., of uraemic poisoning.

IN BOSTON MARKETS

Quotations given here are strictly wholesale and retailers must expect to pay more for small lots:

Butter—Northern creamery extras, 29½¢; western creamery extras, 29¢; Cheese—New York state fancy, 17¢; fair to good, 16½¢; Young America, 17¢; Eggs—Choice henner and nearby, 36¢; eastern extras, 32¢; western extras, 32½¢; western prime firsts, 30½¢; western firsts, 19½¢; Apples—Baldwins, \$2.07 bbl; Northern Spy, \$3.50; russets, \$3.45; Ben Davis, \$2.50; Potatoes—Arroostook Green Mountain, \$1.10 per 2-bu bag; new, \$5.50; sweet potatoes, \$5.50; Dressed poultry—Northern fowl, 16¢; native broilers, 34¢; native roasting chickens, large, 32¢; native quab, \$2.50; native pigeons, \$1.75; green ducks, 16¢.

Natural History Society Outing

Friday afternoon the Andover Natural History Society held a very enjoyable field meeting in the Great Meadow and vicinity. The weather was favorable for the purpose and over forty different specimens of wild flowers and shrubs were found. The list with the common and botanical names prepared by Myron E. Gutterston, is as follows:

Yellow violet, viola pubescens; white violet; bluet, houstonia caerulea; sandwort, lateriflora, aranea lateriflora; swamp violet; yellow star grass, hypoxis hirsuta; housewort, pedicularis canadensis; bastard toad flax, comandra umbellata; red anemone; wood anemone, anemone quinquefolia; swamp saxifrage, saxifrage pennsylvanica; low cornel, cornus canadensis; ragwort, senecio aureus; wild parsnip, zozia aurea; tall buttercup, ranunculus acris; wild geranium, geranium maculatum; wild strawberry, fragaria virginiana; cotton grass, eriophorum, saracenia purpurea; wild iris, iris versicolor; bellwort, uraria perfoliata; buck bean, menyanthes trifoliata; arethusa bulbosa; high blueberry, vaccinium corymbosum; low blueberry, vaccinium pennsylvanicum; huckleberry, baylussacia baccata; Canadian cinquefoil, potentilla canadensis; early buttercup, ranunculus bulbosus; barberry, myrica carolinensis; Jack-in-the-pulpit, arisaema triphyllum; thornbush, many varieties; wild columbine, agnolia canadensis; pussy toes, many varieties; viburnum, many varieties; blackberry, many varieties; wild gooseberry; wild sarsaparilla, aralia medicinalis; false Solomon's seal, smilacina racemosa; wild cherry, two varieties; daisy, many varieties; sheep laurel, kalmia angustifolia; pokeweed, two varieties; chokeberry, pyrus arbutifolia; red sorrel, rumex acetosella; yellow lily, two varieties.

After the collection of specimens had been made, a basket lunch was served. Those who enjoyed the trip were: Mrs. William G. Goldsmith, Miss Bessie P. Goldsmith, William Goldsmith, Mrs. A. P. Couch, Mrs. Joseph Low, Mrs. James H. Morse, Miss Clara A. Putnam, Mrs. Frank M. Foster, Mr. and Mrs. Omar P. Chase, Mrs. J. H. Melledge, Miss Jennie Boutwell, Miss Florence I. Abbott, Mrs. Chase, John E. Holt.

A Siegfried Idyl

Place—Harvard Stadium. Time—June 4th, 1915. Crowd—9-10 "Harvard Yale." Associations—grid-iron, diamond and track. Stage—temporary. Appearance—Kasperletheatre. Time for beginning—7:30. Time for arrival of audience—7:45. Presentation—a musical drama. Audience given delightful alternative—music minus drama or drama minus music. 7:35—conductor Hertz raises baton. 7:36—Hertz swaying violently, auditor A remarks to auditor B that the music must have begun. Prelude—lympani ppp, conversazioni ff. Display of good reasoning and good taste, first motif being "reflection" motif which is always accomplished best in private. 7:37—thanks to tuba and hoard motif, auditor A's surprise confirmed. Thru remainder of prelude as well as entire Idyl auditor A grateful for each new confirmation by brasses of original surmise. Auditor A renews affection for brasses even though blaring unutterably in open air. Breach with the strings complete. Their dulcet strains, refusing to associate with auditor A, makes straight for the empyrean. 7:45 all present except Stimmung and 12 automobiles. Auditor X in curve of stadium having little of drama and none of music grateful for the search-light diversissement. 7:47—Auditor having chosen music instead of drama, deems himself fortunate to see Teddy-bear hauled out of side entrance to stage. 7:50—Siegfried strikes anvil with sword. Anvil refusing to be shattered Siegfried aims second blow 7:51. 8:00—owing to night air orchestra dons overcoats and hats—a-la-synagogue. 8:30—Act I, scene II—Wotan enters, majestic slow motif. Auditor C speeds his stately tread by buying a bag of pop-corn.

9:30—Prelude to Act II begins. Conversazioni again in good taste as the low rumble enhances effectiveness of first motif—the growing Falner. 9:45—Herr Maier and Muller of the orchestra sink across orchestral platform in flowing overcoats and proceed up the side stairs to stage to play reed and horn parts for Siegfried during Waldweben scene. Auditor A having chosen music instead of drama very grateful for view of these two on side of stage, also later on for view of wood-bird in formalliers being especially grateful for view as wood-bird was not in best voice. 9:55 Herr Maier and Muller having assisted Siegfried again proceed to places in orchestra. 10:00—Falner slain. Auditor A again grateful to see dragon carted out side door of stage not having seen the brute alive.

10:15—Auditor X asks auditor A how many more acts there are. Auditor A not sure whether answer comforting or delecting. 10:45—Curtain falls between scenes two and three affording one more excellent opportunity to enhance the slumber motif and the Freia motif with lulling conversation. 10:47—Slumber motif strings only-planissimo highest registers—wonderfully etheralized by honk honk of departing auto. 10:55—Audience leaving in great numbers to catch late trains. 11:00—Two cadys who have eluded the nodding police make their way to the orchestral platform and admire the double-bass. 11:02—Herr Schmidt suffering from the night-air rises from his place in the orchestra, immediately before the stage and violently blows his nose. 11:05—Siegfried imprints a kiss upon Brunhilde's lips. Auditor X thinks very amusing. 11:10—Curtain drops immediately applause, the rapture of the audience adding infinitely to the final motifs "love's rapture" and the "Siegfried" motif. Number present—20,000. Financial success startling. O shades of Wagner and German Art! C. F. P.

NEW RULES FOR BAGGAGE

After June 2 Persons Checking It Must Declare Its Value

The New York, New Haven and Hartford has just issued a circular addressed to its agents and station baggage masters covering new rules for checking baggage, which go into effect June 2. These new baggage regulations have been made necessary by a recent amendment to the Interstate Commerce Act.

Hereafter persons checking baggage for interstate transportation will be required to sign a declaration of its value on a form which the baggage master will provide.

If the value declared is in excess of \$100 for each full-ticket passenger or \$50 in the case of a child holding a half-ticket, a charge of 10 cents for every \$100 over these amounts will be levied in consideration of the extra liability assumed. The new act makes it a misdemeanor to misrepresent the value of baggage or any interstate shipment.

It will not be necessary, however, for owners of baggage to sign these declarations in person. Baggage agents have been instructed to accept them from any person duly authorized to sign, such as valets, porters, butlers, drivers, etc.

Beginning on June 2 the forms under the new regulations required by the Interstate Commerce Act will be on hand for the passenger to sign at every checking point on the New Haven System. Before an agent can forward baggage that has not been checked the new law requires that he obtain a declaration of value and also collect any charges for excess value.

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"Naked Truth"

The rumor has come to us that "Hypocrites," a four reel film play, the exhibition of which was forbidden in Boston by Mayor Curley and the censors, will be presented at the Scenic Temple in Paragon Park, Nantasket, beginning with Bunker Hill Day, June 17. This is the play in which the appearance of a nude woman, in the role of Naked Truth, was objected to by the censors and the clergy when a private exhibition was given in Tremont Temple Boston, a few weeks ago.

But opinions seem to differ considerably as to whether it is objectionable to show a nude woman in the "Movies." In New York City "Hypocrites" duplicated the success of "The Birth of a Nation" and ran there at one of the leading houses, the Longacre Theatre, for many weeks at \$1.00 admission prices.

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whether the authorities should permit it to be shown publicly, both police officials and clergymen gave "Hypocrites" their approval.

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Again, but with Apologies

We have received a long contribution by that distinguished controversialist William Shaw of Ballardvale. To publish his statement entirely, is simply to reopen the sort of a case upon which we have discovered too frequently he loves to dwell. We are, however, in justice to the statements made by certain officials of the town, called upon to publish those statements, even though it does in a way continue the Ballardvale discussion, and those statements are submitted herewith with a request to anyone who is interested to read all that has been published previous to this time in the Townsman.

We are confident that such a reading will make clear that while the statements made by the town officials are in accordance with facts, they are sufficiently clear in showing that enough happened to justify the Townsman's charges, and it is also sufficiently clear to anyone who reads them that a good many other things that they do not refer to may have happened, and which, judged by testimony of the very best authorities that the Townsman can find on Ballardvale matters, actually did happen.

The statements are as follows:

STATEMENT OF BOARD OF ENGINEERS
Ballardvale, Mass., June 1, 1915

Mr. Allan Simpson,
Ballardvale, Mass.

My dear Mr. Simpson:—

In answer to my open letter to the Board of Fire Engineers, I received the following reply from Chief C. S. Buchan:

Andover, Mass., May 28, 1915

Office of
Board of Fire Engineers
Mr. William Shaw.

Dear Sir:

In answer to your letter of recent date in regard to Editorial in the Townsman of May 21, I would refer you to Allan Simpson who is a member of the Board of Engineers that has charge of the B. V. Engine House.

Yours very truly,
(Signed) C. S. BUCHAN,
Andover

Acting upon the above suggestion I take the liberty of asking for information on the following charges which were made or directly implied by the Andover Townsman in its Editorial columns:—

1. Have you definite evidence that liquor was sold in the engine house in Ballardvale as charged by the Townsman?

2. Do you know where the liquor was purchased, and by whom?

3. If liquor was sold, was the member of the police force, who was also a member of the fire engine company, present at the time, or aware that liquor was being sold in the engine house?

4. Were the members of the fire company so intoxicated at a recent fire as to be unfit for duty, as charged? If so, how many of them were in that condition?

In justice to our village which has been grossly slandered because of the alleged misconduct of one or two men in the employ of the town, I feel that the public has a right to an official statement, so that we may know just what foundation there was for the Townsman's attack upon the good name and reputation of our community.

Yours truly,
(Signed) WILLIAM SHAW
Ballardvale, Mass., June 1, 1915

My dear Mr. Shaw:—

Your letter of June 1st received and contents noted.

In reply to questions one and two, I will state that no intoxicating liquor of any description has ever been allowed in the Ballardvale Engine House since I have been Engineer of said Company.

Answering question three, if said "Policeman" referred to, who is a member of the Fire Dept., knew of any liquor being sold or drunk in the Engine House, I feel confident this state of affairs would be reported to me, as soon as it existed, for said member is fully aware of the fact that he is liable to suspension from the Fire Department, should he neglect to inform me of said state of affairs.

Question four, At the fire referred to, there were two firemen slightly under the influence of liquor, and these men have been dealt with in accordance with the By-Laws: one fireman having been dropped from the company and the other reprimanded.

Sincerely yours,
(Signed) ALLAN SIMPSON,
1st Assistant Engineer, Andover Fire Dept.
Ballardvale, June 2, 1915.

REPLY OF BOARD OF SELECTMEN TO
OPEN LETTER

TOWN OF ANDOVER

Office of
Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of Poor

HARRY M. EAMES, Chairman

WALTER S. DONALD, Sec. CHARLES BOWMAN

GEORGE A. HIGGINS, Clerk

Andover, Mass., June 1st, 1915

Mr. William Shaw,
Ballardvale, Mass.

Dear Sir:—

Your letter of May 26th received, and placed on file. We desire to state that the Board of Selectmen are in no wise responsible for the editorials of the Townsman, and have not in the past, and do not at the present time feel called on to reply to them. Criticisms have been made in the past upon various departments, and their heads, and undoubtedly will be in the future, some deserved, some undeserved. Those in public life, like yourself, know full well that many insinuations, innuendoes, and even statements are made that are unwarranted, when the truth is known. A little ripple often times starts a great wave, and although there may be but a slight sediment, a vigorous stirring will develop muddy water.

The trouble at the Engine House has been carefully and fully investigated by the Board of Engineers, a Board which we believe has the confidence and respect of the people of Andover, and we have full confidence in their ability to remedy any evil that may exist in the department. We

have failed to find any proof that intoxicants are sold in the Vale, and believe that what is obtained is procured elsewhere.

Yours truly,
(Signed) HARRY M. EAMES,
Chairman of Selectmen

The basis of Mr. Eames' statement seems to be a desire on his part to claim that he has no responsibility for the editorials of the Townsman. We are very confident that no one who knows the Townsman or Mr. Eames would ever charge him with such a responsibility.

Positively, and with due respect to Adelina Patti, this is our last and final appearance on the Ballardvale issue.

Editorial Cinders

The Chinese ambassadors who are devoting their attention to what the United States can offer in the way of suggestions for improving commercial relations within the great country of China itself and between China and this country, are today spending a couple of hours in Andover. As guests of one of the country's biggest business men, they are sure of learning much of the intensive business methods which have made the great industry over which Mr. William M. Wood presides one of the nation's most striking business developments. But Andover welcomes through her distinguished citizen the Chinese representatives, out of an acquaintance with this nation that has had many pleasant features attached to it for many years back. To our great school on the Hill have come many boys for the purpose of getting early impressions of the United States through acquaintance and association with the bright boys of this country. Among the most distinguished citizens of the great Chinese Republic are graduates of Phillips Academy. The principal of Phillips Academy has had honors from the high officials of China. Today a number of Chinese boys are residents of Andover in the pursuit of education. Along these and other lines such an intimate acquaintance has been formed as to make it eminently fitting that this town should extend its warmest hand of welcome.

Massachusetts has done well to recognize the importance of a definite lesson from the flag by the establishment of a Flag Day to be fixed by the Governor. Governor Walsh has named Monday, June 14, as Flag Day this year and there should be a widespread observance. Let the colors fly from every staff and be displayed in every possible manner. But this alone will not be enough. Much more important would be some sort of an observance through which school children, the young men who are to become citizens and who do not yet know the obligations of American citizenship and the significance of the American flag, may be taught these things. If this can be worked out in addition to the display of the colors, it won't be many years before Americanism will mean patriotism and patriotism will be associated with all the things for which the flag stands. Good is the Flag Day idea. Let's make it better by letting the day become more than an additional public statute cumbering the law book of the State. Flag Day has in it the potentialities of great good to the American people.

The performance by the Choral Society at the Phillips Chapel on Tuesday evening of this week was the best effort made by this organization since its beginning and, as a matter of fact, one of the most pleasing entertainments presented to an Andover audience for many years. The orchestra was made up of Andover players. The soloists were so nearly Andover that we claim them very properly, and the whole performance was distinctly a local one. Those who listened to George Harris, Jr., for the first time were very much impressed by the wonderful ability he shows as a soloist, and Andover has just pride in the high position he holds in the musical world. Two Andover girls were welcomed back by the music-loving people of the town in the persons of Misses Alice and Lottie Cox, members of the Boston Orchestra. Congratulations of the community are due in a generous measure to Mr. Pfatfeicher, the musical director at Phillips, for taking the leadership in this good work.

The word of hearty approval in last week's issue for the excellent work done by the Phillips Academy coach in training the school athletes was not meant to be a vaudeville. But events come rapidly in these stirring times, and much to the surprise of those who were on the outside at least, the announcement is made that Sid Peet is no longer coach at Phillips. Many will miss the qualities that have made the Andover coach for fifteen years so large a part of the life of Phillips Academy.

Births

In Andover, Friday, June 4, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Lewis H. Homer.

In Andover, June 10, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Claude Minor, North Main Street.

Unclaimed Letters

Allen, Mrs. C. B. Calhoun, Rev. H.

Godfrey, Charlotte Hart, Francis

Hass, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hersey, Ellen

Kneeland, Mrs. C.
JOHN H. McDONALD, P.M.

CHORAL SOCIETY CONCERT

Local Organization Gives an Excellent Rendition of Mendelssohn's "Hymn of Praise." Splendid Work by Soloists and Society's Orchestra

Mendelssohn's "Hymn of Praise" was rendered by the Andover Choral Society at their third concert of the season, in the Academy Chapel on Tuesday evening, and it was by far the best performance of the local organization. The chorus sang excellently, the society's orchestra, assisted by several strings from the Boston orchestra, rendered the long but beautiful overture in a faultless manner, while the soloists, Mrs. Moore of Andover and George Harris, Jr., of New York City but a former Andover boy, gave intelligent interpretations of the solos and duets. Mr. Pfatfeicher conducted with his usual vigor, while the chorus work was supplemented and sustained by the excellent accompaniment of Mrs. John C. Angus at the piano. E. E. Scofield, a pupil of Mr. Pfatfeicher's, played the organ parts effectively.

The "Hymn of Praise" is a very tuneful cantata with several difficult choruses and enough solos and duets to make it enjoyable. The overture was given in its entirety and although of great length, the rendition was thoroughly enjoyed by the audience. Much credit belongs to the members of the society's orchestra who played alongside their professional brethren with great success. The flute obligato in the allegretto movement was rendered by Mr. Alexander in a very finished manner, and the same can be said of the cornet obligato in the same movement which was played by Dr. Hulme. The orchestra received invaluable support by Mrs. Angus at the piano, and Mr. Pfatfeicher kept the ensemble playing in strict time. A feature of the rendition was the tonal quality of the strings.

The chorus did its best singing in the opening number, "All men, all things," and in the chorus, "The night is departing." The entrances were marked and the climax in the latter chorus was reached with a splendid volume of tone. The singing was not so successful in the sustained chorus, "All ye that cried unto the Lord," nor in the chorus, "Let all men praise the Lord," but this did not detract from the enjoyment of the excellent work of the society.

Mrs. Moore and Mr. Harris were at their best in the duets "I waited for the Lord" and "My song shall be always thy Mercy." Mrs. Moore was in excellent voice and rendered the solo "Praise thou the Lord" in her well-

known artistic manner. The bulk of the solo work fell to Mr. Harris and he delighted his audience with his intelligent rendering of the solo "The Sorrows of Death." It was sung with much feeling and dramatic effect, and Mr. Harris found ample scope in this number to display his excellent voice. At the close of the concert both Mrs. Moore and Mr. Harris bowed their acknowledgments to the applause of the audience in recognition of their fine work, Mr. Pfatfeicher responding for the chorus and orchestra.

The members of the Andover Choral Society are:

Sopranos—Mrs. T. E. Allen, Mrs. J. C. Angus, Miss Mabel Carter, Miss Alice Coutts, Miss Helen Eaton, Mrs. V. D. Harrington, Mrs. J. A. Jenkins, Mrs. J. S. May, Mrs. F. G. Moore, Miss Hester Newman, Mrs. F. H. Paige, Mrs. G. F. Peck, Miss Mary Richards, Miss Mary Scott, Mrs. H. A. Wright.

Altos—Mrs. F. A. Buttrick, Miss Delight Hall, Miss M. Eleanor Holt, Mrs. J. V. Holt, Mrs. Wm. T. Jackson, Miss Ruth Mitchell, Mrs. F. A. Wallace, Miss C. H. A. Sanborn, Mrs. C. W. Scott and Miss Emily Richards.

Tenors—A. N. Alexander, A. W. Bassett, V. D. Harrington, Wm. McEwan, F. G. Moore, Dr. Carl Richter.

Basses—Wm. Hodge, J. V. Holt, Dr. A. E. Hulme, H. Liversidge, E. M. Weeks, J. S. May, F. H. Paige; assisted by H. Hall and J. Wilkinson.

The Choral Society orchestra:

Violin—Louis Finger, Miss M. Eleanor Holt, L. D. Scriven, Robert Williams.

Violoncello—Edward Brooks, Miss Helen Eaton.

Cornet—Dr. A. E. Hulme.

Flute—A. N. Alexander.

Piano—Mrs. J. C. Angus.

Organ—E. E. Scofield.

The Andover Choral Society guarantees are: T. E. Allen, J. C. Angus, C. K. Bancroft, H. W. Barnard, Prof. A. R. Benner, Edward Brooks, J. N. Cole, E. T. Brewster, G. T. Eaton, B. S. Flagg, Prof. C. H. Forbes, A. Freeman, F. Abbot Goodhue, V. D. Harrington, J. V. Holt, R. P. Keep, F. H. Jones, Prof. W. K. Moorehead, F. H. Paige, C. A. Parmelee, F. A. Wallace, Dr. Chas. Peabody, J. L. Phillips, J. C. Sawyer, Dr. C. W. Scott, David Shaw, F. D. Somers, Rev. M. W. Stackpole, H. N. Sweet, A. P. Thompson, J. A. Towle.

Punchard Commencement

Punchard High school will celebrate its commencement season next week beginning on Wednesday afternoon, June 16, with Class Day exercises on the school lawn. The program:

Music

Prayer

Salutatory and Essay—A Woman's Work

Essay—Training the Filipino Miss Myrtle T. Dumont

Music John L. Dugan

Music—Our National Defense Joseph Robinson

Award of Prizes

Presentation of Diplomas

Valedictory and Essay—The American Red Cross

Music Miss Mary L. Zechlin

Class Song

On Thursday evening in the Town hall the graduating exercises will be held, to which admission will be allowed only by ticket. The exercises will begin at eight o'clock and the program will be as follows:

Address of Welcome

John L. Dugan, Class President

Class History Howard L. Cates

Class Statistics Margaret Allison

Class Gifts Olive Hardy

Class Prophecy Ada Brewster

Class Will Beatrice Poland

Singing of Class Song

On Friday evening the Senior reception will be held in the town hall.

Cricket Club News

The Andover Cricket club held a meeting in the club house Thursday evening and voted to hold their annual Ladies' Day on July 10. All applications for the use of the field must be made in writing to the secretary Charles Fettes, School street. The following committees were chosen: Selection, John Porter, D. Forbes, and the captain Executive—A. Anderson, C. Renny and W. McDonald. The next meeting will be held Tuesday evening in the club house and a large attendance of members is desired.

Children's day at the Baptist church

The special service next Sunday for the children at the Baptist church promises a very interesting program. In the morning the pastor will deliver a sermon specially fitting for the occasion, and among the musical attractions will be a solo by Mrs. James May.

The evening service will be devoted entirely to the children and a special children's concert has been arranged that is sure to be enjoyable. The title of the concert is "The Trail Illumined," and emblematic pieces have been arranged to emphasize the story of the evening. Plants will be given to the children, and the music of the evening will include an anthem sung by a quartet composed of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Moore, Mrs. Mary T. Jackson, and Colver J. Stone.

Rooms of the Historical Society Open During June

If you want a cup of tea, a chance to chat, and something to talk about, drop around to the rooms of the Andover Historical Society any Saturday afternoon during June. Seventy-one Main Street will be "at home" from two till six.

Auto Overtakes on Andover Farm

An auto party going from Andover to Lowell up the Lowell road about midnight Wednesday night, turned off the high road into a field, knocked down several trees, struck a sandy spot and turned turtle, burying the four men under the car. They managed to crawl out and did not seem badly injured. The next morning a big Stanley truck from Lowell took the wrecked car aboard and carried it to Lowell. The number on the wrecked car was 32149. According to the registry book a car given that number is owned by Matthew Rawlinson of 166 Pawtucket street, Lowell.

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Chinese Commissioners Here

The honorary Chinese commission which is in this country making a study of industrial and educational conditions came to Lawrence today for a tour of several of the factories, as guests of the Chamber of Commerce, and elaborate plans were carried out to make their stay a pleasant one. As Lawrence is one of the three cities in Massachusetts which the commission will visit—the others being Boston and Lynn—the Chamber of Commerce officials feel that the visit is a big thing for the city. Andover also can feel flattered in having the notables entertained by one of her citizens.

The members of the commission, fifteen in number, including the most prominent business men of China, arrived in Boston on Wednesday and were entertained in the Hub Thursday, being tendered a banquet Thursday night.

A delegation from the Lawrence Chamber of Commerce went to Boston early this morning to meet the members of the commission and the distinguished visitors were brought to Lawrence over the road in autos. They left Boston at 9 o'clock and arrived at the Wood Worsted mill at 10.30. After a tour of inspection throughout the Wood mill, the visitors were taken through the Pacific print works and through the Pacific mills, after which they were driven to the home of President Wm. M. Wood of the American Woolen Co., Arden, in Frye Village, where dinner was served. The party then returned to Boston on the 3.30 train from here. The visit of the distinguished Chinese to Lawrence will be the second time that that city has been so honored. On February 12, 1906, the high commissioners of His Majesty, the Emperor of China, came here to study educational and industrial conditions, and at that time were shown through the Pacific and Wood mill plants.

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Abbot Commencement

The eighty-sixth anniversary of Abbot Academy, combining the exercises relative to commencement, was celebrated this week. The baccalaureate sermon was preached in the South church last Sunday morning to the members of the Senior class, and a large congregation of relatives and friends. The sermon was delivered by Rev. Willis Howard Butler of Boston, and in part follows:

Luke 5:4, 5—"Simon answered and said, Master, we toiled all night and took nothing. He said unto Simon, Put out into the deep and let down your nets."

There is something rather pathetic about this saying of Simon. It suggests the high hopes and the eager expectations with which he started, the growing suspicion that things were not coming out just as he had anticipated, and his final disappointment as he faced the fact that the expedition was a total failure. Simon probably felt as do many people today, who, wearied with their efforts to get ahead, wonder whether the returns are commensurate with the energy which they are expending. Is not much of the restlessness of modern life an indication that people are beginning to realize that they are not getting enough out of life? That they are not tasting its deepest joys, have not discovered its most satisfying rewards, or its richest resources, that instead of storing up reserves of strength they are merely living from hand to mouth?

In many departments of life we are scrutinizing our activity and subjecting it to searching tests. We are asking whether the remarkable development of our schools and colleges on the material side has resulted in a corresponding development in the character of the boys and girls who go to school and college. Is it any stronger than it was when the road to learning was a little rougher? In return for all the care and thought which have been devoted to the perfecting of the ways and means of life, is our life, yours and mine, as rich and fine as one might reasonably expect it to be? Man was never more powerful physically than he is today; has there been proportionate moral and spiritual progress or must we agree with one who says, "Our conquests over nature so far from adding to the content of our life are only involving us in a deeper servitude to things?" We have toiled, but we have taken little or nothing. How shall we account for the size of the returns?

It is not because we are unwilling to work. Our generation enters enthusiastically into undertakings which make tremendous demands upon our strength. The harder the task the more strongly it appeals to us, especially if there is any possibility of breaking a record. The thing that bothered Simon is the same problem which baffles many a man today, namely—that in spite of his hard work he is so badly off. It is not enough to work hard, one must work intelligently if his toil is to yield adequate returns. Simon hesitated about fishing where he had never fished before. Many of us are unwilling to depart from the method of procedure which we always have followed. We are mortally afraid of getting into deep water, so we stick to the old familiar ground. Did you ever stop to think where you should be if there had not been in every generation a few fearless souls who did not hesitate to go a little farther out than anybody had ever gone before?

The call comes to you at this time to "put out into the deep". You are leaving this place of privilege which may be likened to a pleasant harbor, for the open sea of life. There are dangers, of course, but you have been taught the principles of navigation, and if the

dangers of the deep are great, the rewards are rich. May I urge you to be thorough-going in whatever you undertake, to make your own soundings on your voyage, to avoid superficiality as you would shun the reefs and shoals which are far more dangerous than deep water.

Draper Reading

The Draper Reading was held on Monday morning at 10.30 o'clock and was largely attended. The program follows:

Organ Prelude: Allegro
To-morrow
The Merry Cuckoo
Capital Punishment
Organ Interlude: Minuet from Symphony in C
His Majesty the King
The Lord of Mirale
The Piper
Characters: Veronika
The Piper
Agnes Campbell Grant, Andover

Lawn Party

Owing to the unpleasant weather on Monday afternoon, the lawn party was held in the gymnasium, when about 200 people were present, including members of the upper classes, and their friends.

Musical

Davis Hall was filled with an interested audience at the musicale on Monday evening. The grounds looked inviting, with the hundreds of Chinese lanterns strung around the circle, and all the buildings were brilliantly illuminated.

The program was rendered by the pupils of Prof. Joseph N. Ashton and Miss Mabel Adams Bennett, and consisted of many beautiful and inspiring selections. The Fidelio Society assisted. The program:

FIRST PART
Chorus: The Water-Lily
The Fidelio Society
Piano Duet: Dance Polonaise (op. 38)
Miss Pauline Jackson and Miss Kimball
Duet: Barcarolle, "Les Contes d'Hoffmann"
Miss Adams and Miss Wood
Violin Obligato by Miss Marion Brooks
Variations for two Pianos (op. 64)
Theme
Scherzo
Allegretto
Allegretto con fuoco
Miss Leslie and Miss Merrill
Aria: Duet, "You know that sweet land"
Miss Leslie (Soprano)
Chorus: Waken, Lords and Ladies Gay
The Fidelio Society
Piano Solos: a) Romance in E flat
b) Humoresque
c) Dance No. 2
Miss Wood
PART SECOND
Part Songs: a) The Lonely Rose
b) An Elfin Frolic
The Fidelio Society
Piano Solo: Theme Variations
Alma Marcia
Allegretto pastorale
Andante semplice
Grave, quasi funebre
Scherzo
Nocturne
Valse
Allegretto con fuoco
Romance
Allegretto capriccioso
Miss Leslie
Songs: a) L'Ete
b) A Spirit Flower
Miss Adams
Piano Solos: a) Elegie
b) Tempest
Miss Merrill
Aria: Il est doux, il est bon (Hérodiade)
Miss Cushing
Chorus: Aubade
(Troubadour's morning song to the lady)
The Fidelio Society

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P. A. Baccalaureate

The baccalaureate sermon to the graduating class of Phillips Academy was preached in the Stone chapel on last Sunday afternoon by Rev. W. H. P. Faunce, D.D., L.L.D., president of Brown University, Providence, R. I. He took for his text Psalms XVI 1, "Preserve Me O God, For in Thee, do I Put My Trust."

The sermon was abundant with sound advice to the boys who were to leave the school for various parts of the world. They were urged to live up to the high ideals of the great men of the olden times taking Abraham, David, Paul and others as their models. He emphasized the fact that these men were human and that they were tempted just as men of modern times are tempted but their great faith in God and the strength that He gave them, enabled them to throw off the tempter and continue to live lives of faithful and efficient service. He urged the boys to live lives of duty and of strenuous effort, making their aim in life high and their faith in God strong.

Dr. Faunce spoke of the struggle on European soil and of the thousands of lives that were being sacrificed in the trenches, on the field, on the sea. He said that all this was done in devotion to duty and love of country but that it was better to give a life of useful service to one's country than to lose it in a struggle with murderous weapons.

Dr. Faunce made his main point when he said: "You will fight if called upon, but death on the battlefield is not the only way one can serve his country. Forty or fifty years of private honesty and public integrity, of keeping at your job with a life unstained is full as great a service. All tasks are noble that are nobly done."

Junior Public Speaking

The third annual contest for the Junior Public Speaking prizes at Phillips Academy was held in the chapel on Monday evening at eight o'clock. The prizes were awarded as follows: First prize, Van Campen Heiler of Spring Lake, N. J.; second prize, Raymond Herbert Hull of New Haven, Conn.; Leonard North Seymour of Elgin, Neb., received honorable mention. Cups were awarded to the winners. The program was as follows:

John Coggeshall
Raymond Herbert Hull
Arthur Knowles
Charles Minot Dole
Leonard North Seymour
Van Campen Heiler
A. D. Harvey, Operator

Draper Prize Speaking

The forty-ninth annual speaking of selected declamations for the Draper prizes occurred in the Stone Chapel on Wednesday evening. There was a large attendance of students, relatives and friends and members of the Alumni Association.

The work of the boys in this competition was exceptionally interesting. Their selections were well chosen and in every case were delivered in such a highly efficient manner that it was a difficult task for the judges to make selections. After careful deliberation the judges awarded the prizes as follows: first prize, Robert Tyng Bushnell of

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Upon calling the Cradle Roll, Miss Mary Richards, the superintendent, found the following lads and lassies present: Hartwell B. Abbott, John Low Bailey, Jessie Copeland Bailey, Harold Albert Baker, Beatrice Helen Baker, Sarah Baker, Thomas Franklin Bryant, Pauline Burt, Eleanor Campbell, Erma Muriel Campbell, Clarence Cashman, Frank Edward Dodge, Edward C. Emslie, Barbara Miller Hammond, Grace Marion Hatch, Robert Cades Holland, Eleanor Jenkins, Marcia Lillian McLaughlin, Mary F. Partridge, E. Holden Philbrick, Marion Elinor Philbrick, Albert Omar Piper, Ruth Sibley Pratt, Howard Earle Shaw, Katherine Shaw, Constance Virginia Wade, Dorothy Louise Wade, Foster Eugene Wright, Mariette Whittemore, Eleanor Louise Thompson.

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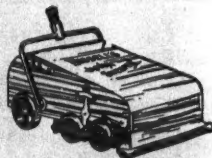
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12.00. Sunday School, will be merged with the morning service.
6.30. Christian Endeavor Meeting.
7.45 Tuesday. K. O. K. A. meeting to plan for summer camp.
7.45 Wednesday. Prayer meeting of the South church.
7.45 Thursday. Choir rehearsal.

WEST CHURCH

Congregational. Organized 1826

Rev. Newman Matthews, Pastor

12.00. Public worship with sermon by the pastor.
12.00. Sunday School.
7.00. Service in Osgood District.

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School Minister

10.30. Morning service with sermon by the school minister.
Vesper service omitted.

FREE CHURCH

Elm Street
Congregational. Organized 1846

Rev. Frederick A. Wilson, Pastor

10.30. Worship, with Children's Day exercises and baptism of children.
12.00. The Sunday School.
6.30. The Y. P. S. C. E. Subject, "Christ's Call to the Young Men of Today".
7.45 Wednesday. The mid-week prayer and conference meeting.
7.00 and 7.45 Thursday. The rehearsals of the choir.

CHRIST CHURCH

Central Street
Episcopal. Organized 1835

Rector, Rev. C. W. Henry

10.30. Morning prayer and sermon.
12.00. Sunday School.
4.30. Evening prayer with service of admission for the Girls' Friendly Society.

BAPTIST CHURCH

Organized 1832

Rev. W. E. Lombard, Pastor

10.30. Sermon by the pastor, for children especially.
12.00. Sunday School.
6.30. Y. P. S. C. E.
7.15. Children's Day concert.
7.45 Wednesday. Prayer meeting.

ST. AUGUSTINE'S CHURCH

Roman Catholic. Organized 1850

Rev. Fr. Riordan, Pastor

6.30 Sunday. Mass and instruction.
8.30. Mass and instruction.
Sunday School to follow.
10.30. High mass and sermon.
2.45. Children of Mary Sodality meeting each Sunday.
3.30. Vespers, rosary, and benediction.
7.30 Thursday. Holy Hour devotion.
First Sunday of month. Communion day for Sacred Heart Sodality.
Second Sunday of month. Communion day for Knights of Good Counsel.
Third Sunday of month. Communion day for Holy Name society.
Fourth Sunday of month. Communion day for Children of Mary.
Holy Name society meets fourth Monday evening of each month.
Sacred Heart Sodality meets first Friday evening of each month.
Knights of Good Counsel meet second Wednesday evening of each month.
Promoters of Propagation of the Faith, second Thursday evening of each month.
Alter boys meet first Monday evening of each month.

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No. Andover Centre
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Rev. Wm. S. Nichols, Minister

10.30. Morning Worship.
11.45. Sunday School.
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Tree Exercises

The Tree Exercises were held on the lawn on Tuesday morning at 10.30 and were attended by many friends of the school. Following was the program:

TREE EXERCISES—ACADEMIC SENIOR CLASS

Transfer of the Spade
Miss Brooks, President of the Class of 1915
Miss Gutterman, President of the Class of 1916

Tree Song

Written by Miss Catherine C. Leach

If we have chosen to root you
Up from the forest's heart,
If we have elected to set you
Here in a space apart,
Think not, little tree, we lacked purpose—
One we have had from the start.

We wanted to make you the guardian
Of all we have learned to hold dear,
For today we must fare forth from Abbot.
The school we have loved thro' the year,
Loved with a love growing stronger
As we felt separation draw near.

As dryads of old were embodied
In trees, and sweet spirits in streams,
The spirit of '15 we leave you,
Little spruce, when the moon's misty beams
And the sun's shimmering rays rest upon you,
May we trust you to cherish our dreams?

IVY PLANTING

COLLEGE PREPARATORY SENIOR CLASS

Transfer of the Trowel
Miss Hamblet, Class of 1915
Miss Grant, Class of 1916

In the South church on Tuesday morning the graduating exercises were held before a large audience. The central part of the church was occupied by the school, who marched in just previous to the beginning of the service, the lower classes first and then the Seniors each carrying a long-stemmed red rose. Rev. Markham W. Stackpole of the Board of Trustees presided in the absence of the president. The address was delivered by Professor Bliss Perry, Litt. D., L.H.D., LL.D., of Harvard, who spoke on "The Lesson of Books."

He spoke as follows:

Young ladies of the graduating class, and ladies and gentlemen:
In talking to you this morning about the lesson of books, I am using two words of which you are naturally weary. Books were packed up, some of your books, and the rest you have sold and given away, glad to be rid of them, and lessons, you have had enough of these for the present. School days are over and June beckons us out of doors. Wordsworth's tireless reader of books, bids us close our books in the spring-time, saying,

"One impulse from a vernal wood
Will teach you more of man,
Of mortal evil and of good,
Than all the ages can."

Now, nothing could be more charming than those lines in theory, or more justified in practice, for the "vernal wood" has its own message, but it says little or nothing to the man or woman who has not already learned the lesson of the sages. The sages begin to converse with us the moment we open a book. The lesson they teach harmonizes indeed with the lesson of the "vernal wood" and with the lesson of human experience, but books are for most of us in our formative years the clearer and the plainer teachers, and the substance of their teaching, the true lesson of books, is precisely what you have heard Sunday after Sunday throughout your school time, namely, that the one needful thing is religion. I know that this intimate association of literature and religion can no element of novelty for you. New England has always been a land of books. John Wesley was obliged to read on horseback. St. Paul covets those books which he left behind at Troas. Neither of these two men preached the worse for knowing the Greek poets.

In this New England community where you have been trained you have learned to respect this immemorial alliance of religion and literature. You are aware, of course, that the words "religion" and "literature" are large and somewhat vague. Religion is everywhere understood, but attempts to define it usually lessen its universal significance. Abraham Lincoln's wife said of him after his death that he was a

religious man, but that his religion was a kind of poetry in his nature. The term "Literature" conveys a doubtful meaning. Professional critics have never agreed upon a definition of poetry. Yet when Mrs. Lincoln says that her husband's religion was a kind of poetry in his nature, everyone knows what she means.

Great literature is a clumsy term, perhaps, and certainly a vague one; useless for exact measurement; a poor yardstick, and yet a good divining-rod. I remember talking once with Thomas Bailey Aldrich and Miss Sarah Orne Jewett about Charlotte Brontë's novels. Aldrich, as usual, was making brilliant fun of some of their eccentricities. "Yes T. B.," said Miss Jewett, gently, "but it was deep-sea fishing, after all!" The great books are indeed written by the spiritual adventurers, those that dare to go down to the sea in ships and do business in great waters.

The question, then, which concerns us is this: What relation has such literature to the religious life of the individual? Is it a help or a hindrance? Is it a substitute for religion? Was Goethe right when he declared somewhat condescendingly that he who has no art, let him have religion? Do their paths run side by side, and do the two paths lead to the ultimate goal, or may it be that the two paths are really one? These are not very easy questions, and they are not to be answered dogmatically, yet this much is plain: literature prepares the way for religion, by freeing, energizing, and humanizing the mind.

And first, by freeing it. Like all the arts, literature may be conceived as a higher form of "play," the expression of a surplusage of pleasurable activity. Themselves born in freedom, the arts lift us in turn, into a world of freedom. We greet the poem, the statue, the symphony, in a mood of delightful contemplation, of spiritual detachment. We forget, in contemplating them, the daily job, the petty material anxieties, the haunting shadow of the past, the harassing worry about tomorrow and the day after tomorrow; we leave all this sad baggage behind us, and go out on the tide of impersonal feeling, free-like them that go down to the sea in ships. Music and painting and architecture and literature are all emancipators. They liberate us from the clutch of necessity, from moral strain and over-strain, from morbid analysis and introspection. To the soul, thus recreated and refreshed, the earth, too, seems made over again: it is once more glorious as on the first morning of creation; it is no longer dog-eared and shop-worn and a poor thing at best. Fresh winds begin to blow, to fill the sails for the soul's voyage;

"And every wave is charmed"

In the second place, great literature energizes the mind. It is dynamic. It turns on new currents of power. To a mind flagging, stumbling, on the point of exhaustion, the right book often gives what athletes know as the "second wind". The great books are distinguished from lesser books by this challenging, awakening power: they compel us to go with them one mile, and then we gladly go with them two. To read Browning, Burke, Dante, is the healthiest sort of gymnastics, even if it were nothing more. But it is something infinitely more. In the books of such men is a personal potency. To read them is like wrestling or marching with a strong man. Their vigor is communicative. With such mountain-climb ing spirits as these, you and I, weaklings as we are, may range the heights of philosophy and poetry, and feel at home upon those strange summits.

But it also the function of literature to humanize the mind, to lead it back from the cold heights to the friendly valleys where men and women habitually dwell. It is not enough that the intelligence should be liberated and energized; the effective person, in this actual society of ours, is the flexible, sympathetic, imaginative person, trained to put himself in the other man's place. We must learn to see the situation from more than one angle.

We make thus the most notable of all purely human discoveries, namely, that there is nothing foreign to us. Thomas Jefferson, a man of flexible intelligence and quick sympathy, has expressed the political aspect of this human solidarity in his superb sentence about American democracy: "In a government bottomed on the will of all, the life and liberty of every individual citizen becomes interesting to all." A wonderful sentence,

is it not, searching, rebuking, inspiring! But the tent-maker of Tarsus, who was a better democrat than even Jefferson, saw still deeper into the mysterious solidarity of humanity when he wrote his twice-repeated phrase about our being "members one of another."

We are now ready to receive one aspect, at least, of the lesson of books: if great literature really liberates and energizes and humanizes the reader, it prepares the way for the kingdom of God. For is it not true that the men who are most liberal, most alive, most sympathetic, are the foremost to recognize the permanent significance of religion in human society? Religion is not decreasing; on the contrary, the world is growing more religious rather than less. No one who observes men and women closely will limit the religious consciousness and activity to those who formally identify themselves with this or that religious body. There is a church invisible, and many so-called heretics or skeptics are unconsciously preparing for a higher religion. But leave these men for the moment out of the reckoning. There were more church members in 1910 than in 1900. Who does not believe that the American people are better than they were fifteen years ago? I do not mean to exaggerate our moral progress, however. Most of us are as yet only one-half civilized and certainly not one-half Christianized.

People are in increasing measure endeavoring to live lives of unselfish service to their fellow men. Among the influences we must count books as one, for we have seen they tend to make the reader more free and brave and kind, they help to create whole persons, not one-sided persons, and it is the whole man who feels religion to be a real part of human life. The person who says in his heart that there is no God does not thereby give any particularly encouraging evidence of superior intellect, although some young men of the universities have occasionally thought so. Few men of first-rate general power have been irreligious men. The high-powered men have often enough been heretics; many have called themselves, either in pride or in humility, agnostics. In the vast majority of cases a well rounded personality, looking before and after, finds things in life which are inexplicable upon any other theory than the existence of some conscious bond between man and his Maker. Even Napoleon, who seemed singularly deficient in religious sensibility, expressed more than once his sense of the mysterious side of life and destiny. "To know," he said, "whence I came, what I am, whither I go, is beyond me, and yet there it is!"

In the integrity of personality and of mind what wonderfully simple things can be said about the world! How often a single phrase has electrified a generation! "I cannot do otherwise," cried Luther. William of Orange said, "There is one way not to see our country a failure. We can die in the last ditch." Such men were not conscious that they were coining phrases. Sir Walter Scott thought that he had heard from the lips of Scottish peasants utterances of pathos and dignity unmeasured in literary records, and this is not strange. Great thoughts and noble emotions are our human birthright.

In no respect do the great books serve us so faithfully as in training us to perceive the transcendent value of the soul. After all is said, we come back to that, and to the oldest of all human problems: "What shall a man give in exchange for his soul?" Now the answer which great literature gives to that problem is undeniably clear. It maintains, naively in one age, subtly in another, but unmistakably in all, that the soul is priceless. One must not accept the whole world in exchange for it. Literature, weighing generation after generation the relative value of things, does not hesitate to say that it thinks very nobly of the soul. Literature speaks nobly also of the world, but it whispers to us surely in myriad voices that the soul finds no ultimate rest until it rests in God.

If we are to believe the poets, this earth of ours is only a show, an illusion. One American poet, preaching the doctrine of self-reliance, asks, "When shows break up, what but oneself is sure?" And literature has long ago said, "Oneself is indeed sure, and God is sure, and the soul is so sure of God that whatever befalls it, may still say, 'My Lord and my God!'" To accept that answer, even in the sad hours by which

our civilization is now being tested, is to have learned the lesson of books.

In presenting the diplomas Miss Bailey spoke as follows:
"The day when you step, at the conclusion of your school life, to the larger activities of service in the world, is of great interest to you, and to us. The months and years that you have spent together have bound you together by a series of invisible threads; the influences and ideals that you have shared together have molded you imperceptibly into a common likeness. So long as you hold these ideals in your hearts, nothing can shatter the impress that to some degree Abbot has stamped on each one of you. You may wander far, you may drink deeply of life's experiences, but you will come back to find the old fellowship firm and true, the old ideals unchanged, beautified, enabled, by life's experiences."

As you go forth today from this school, I charge you, therefore, by all the influences of these years, to be true to the affections of this school, to be loyal to its ideals, that you may be your best, and give your best to the world that needs you."

In the name of the Faculty and Trustees of Abbot Academy, I take pleasure in presenting these certificates of faithful work satisfactorily completed.

Academic—Mildred Louise Akerley, Reading; Norma Allen, Hartford, Conn.; Rena Lois Atwood, Brockton; Marion Paradise Barnard, Andover; Eleanor Wilder Bartlett, Andover; Marion Mather Brooks, Brookline; Helen Bruce, Lawrence; Sarah Whitney Cushing, Andover; Beattie Marie Gleason, Worcester; Martha Lamberton, Franklin, Pa.; Mattie Catlin Larabee, West Roxbury; Charlotte Morris, Philadelphia, Pa.; Jessie Marie Nye, Bucksport, Maine; Gertrude Wilkey, Cambridge; Ada Ferguson Wilkey, Chicago, Ill.

College Preparatory—Elizabeth May Allen, Andover; Muriel Baker, Cambridge; Phyllis Brooks, Andover; Marion Clark Hamblet, Lawrence; Catherine Cushman Leach, Andover; Elizabeth Frye Leach, Andover; Esther Sheldon, New Haven, Conn.

Alumnae Meeting

The annual meeting of the Abbot Academy Alumnae Association took place on Tuesday afternoon at two o'clock, with a good attendance. Mrs. Henrietta (Leary) Sperry of the class of 1868 was the presiding officer. In connection with the secretary's report, Miss Agnes Park read the list of those members who had died during the year. Among them was Miss Caroline Holmes of Roxbury, a loyal friend of the school whose habit it was each year to make some one a member of the association.

Miss Bailey gave a cordial welcome to the alumnae and spoke of school events, school conditions, and school needs. An important letter from the Board of Trustees was read, announcing their decision to add an alumnae member to the Board chosen from a list of five names to be presented by the Alumnae Association. The Association voted that for this time the names should be proposed by the executive Board. The length of term given by the Trustees was five years.

Among the reports given was Miss Howey's of the McKen Art Fund, the income of which was this year used for the exhibition of oil paintings in John Esther Gallery during the month of January.

Miss Kelsey reported the recommendations of the committee on Reunions. A room in McKen Building was provided for alumnae headquarters and proved a pleasant meeting place for "old girls". A committee designated by blue badges were on hand to give information and help.

Gifts were announced from the Boston and New York Abbot clubs and from the class of 1900. Miss Mary Byers Smith, 1904, reported the action of the class at their meeting last year, pledging to raise for their fifteenth reunion the nucleus of an endowment for a chair of instruction. A goodly sum has already been raised.

A letter was read from a representative of the class of 1835, who left the school eighty years ago. Mrs. Louisa (Packard) Willis, of Lawrence, formerly of North Bridgewater. She is nearly ninety-eight years old.

Seven members of the class of 1845 are living. Greetings were given from Mrs. Rebecca (Farnum) Jenkins of Andover, and letters read from Mrs. Annie (Gale) Williston of Cambridge and Miss Elizabeth Russell of Grand Rapids, Mich., the daughter of Prof. William Russell, teacher of elocution in the Theological Seminary.

Mrs. Martha (Tufts) Bandell of the class of 1850 from Walpole, N. H., hoped to be present but was prevented from coming.

The class of 1855 was the first real graduating class, the first to have a diploma or certificate of a completed course. There were two original members of this class, both of whom are living in Andover, Miss Ellen Peabody and Mrs. Rebecca (Merrill) Wilbur. The secretary was asked to send to them greetings and congratulations. A letter was read from Mrs. Fannie (Smith) Bancroft of Saxton's River, Vt., a non-graduate of this class.

Two members of 1865, the fifty-year class, were present. Mrs. Anna (Abbot) Perkins, well known in Andover and Miss Martha Chapman of Roxbury. To these should be added Mrs. Sarah (Merrill) Wilson (non-graduate), also an Andover girl.

The twenty-five year class was not able to get together for a reunion this year, but 1900, 1910 and 1914 were well represented.

It was announced that the graduating class in a body was to join the Association.

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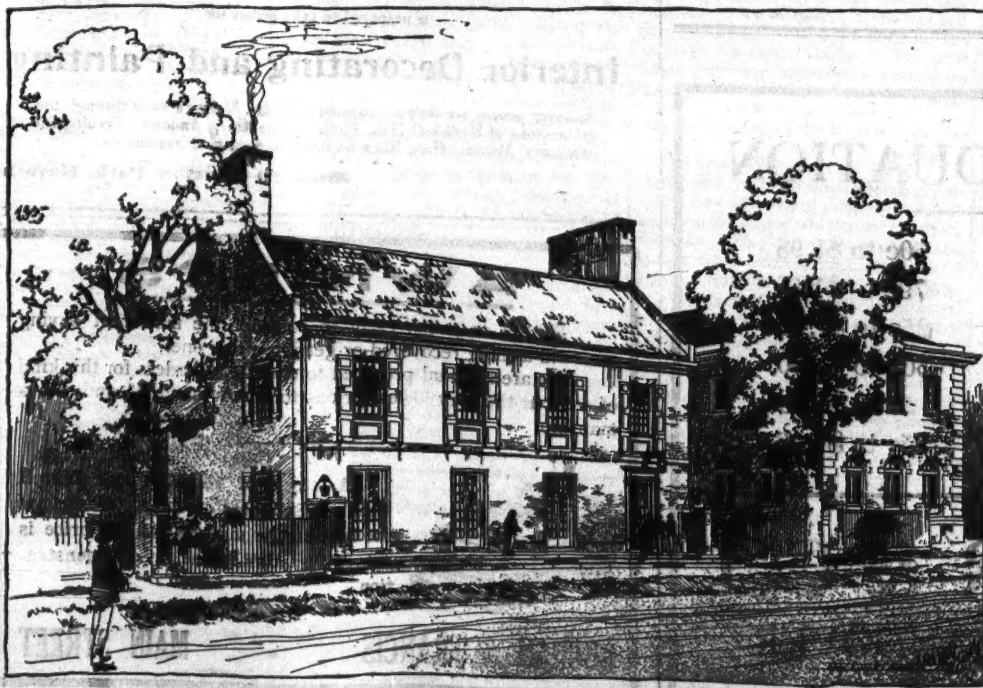
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LAWRENCE

Judge Henry T. Lummus of Lynn commissioned as an auditor to hear the facts in the case has filed his report and the matter now comes before the supreme court on the question of law.

No definite date has been fixed for the continued hearing before the supreme judicial court upon the petition of Michael F. Brogan for a writ of mandamus to compel Mayor Kane and others to recognize him as a license commissioner.

A voluntary petition in bankruptcy has been filed by the Humt's Lunch company, according to advices received from Boston. The company which operates a chain of lunches, including two in Lawrence and others in Haverhill, Boston and other cities, placed its liabilities at \$47,000 and its assets at \$10,000.

Pupils of the Lawrence High school went on a pleasure and educational trip Saturday morning, boarding a special car at the transfer station and visiting the Charlestown Navy Yard and the museums at Harvard. Another special car in which were the pupils of John R. Rollins' school in charge of principal Frank X. Hogan, left at the same time and made the same trip.

Another of the delightful series of outings conducted by the Lawrence Natural History society was held on Saturday afternoon when a number of the members journeyed to Cobble's pond, where they were the guests of Mrs. W. A. Kimball of this city at her camp there for a few hours. The afternoon was spent in botanizing and bird study and the trip was counted as a most successful as well as an enjoyable one.

The members of the class of 1915 of the high school met in the assembly hall at the close of school Tuesday when the officers for the ensuing year were elected. The results were as follows: President, David Fleming, who was re-elected; vice-president, Helen Moher; secretary-treasurer, Romaine Boddy; marshal, Augustine Redman; color bearer, George Bradshaw. Mary Riley who held the office of secretary-treasurer this year declined the nomination for re-election.

The annual class day exercises will be held in the High School Assembly hall by the senior class, Monday night, June 21. The banquet will be in charge of a committee of 20 students this year instead of a caterer. The reason of the change is to cut down expenses as only \$50 of the \$150 obtained from the class tax will be used for the banquet. The other \$100 will be sent to the American Children's Aid society for charitable purposes to relieve the suffering in Europe caused by the present war.

Approximately 3000 Italian reservists are living in Lawrence at the present time, all of whom are liable for service in the war between Italy and Austria. Already preliminary steps have been taken by the local consular representative, Sig. Joseph Cadorini, for the calling in of those liable to service. It is understood that unmarried men will be asked to join their colors first although the married men may be called later.

As a result of a meeting of the representatives of the banks and trust companies of Lawrence, held in the rooms of the chamber of commerce last Friday for the purpose of considering the advisability of the banks and trust companies of Lawrence cooperating with the chamber of commerce in its endeavors to secure for Lawrence, industries of a varied nature, there was a sentiment found to exist favoring such a plan and which resulted in a call for a mass meeting to be held in the rooms of the chamber of commerce Thursday, June 10 at 3.30 p.m., of officers, directors and trustees of the financial institutions of this city and also to which those interested in textile industries should be invited to attend.

NORTH ANDOVER

Julius G. Bide, a former resident of the Kimball district, has purchased a \$10,000 fruit farm in Salinas, Cal.

Mr. and Mrs. William Beck, Jr., and child of Boston spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Beck in the Farnham district.

The Missionary society of the Trinitarian Congregational church met in the church vestry, Thursday afternoon, at 3 o'clock. This was an adjourned meeting.

Under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid society of the Methodist church a salad supper followed by an entertainment, was given on Wednesday evening in the church vestry.

Charles W. Hinman, chairman; Harry Rockwell and Fred McCormack were in attendance Saturday at the complimentary dinner tendered the Republican city and town committees of Northern Essex county at the Groveland Pines.

According to the records at the registry of deeds Anna F. Weil of Main street has sold to Joseph B. Dufresne a parcel of land bounded on Merrimack street. It is bounded on the northeast by the Merrimack street, 97.9 feet; northeast by land of grantor, 100 feet; southeast, land of grantor, 128.36 feet; southwest by Main street, 104.56 ft. It is subject to certain building restrictions.

A roaring farce comedy in three acts written by John J. Owens, a leading stock actor and formerly of the Malley-Denison stock company which played in Lawrence for several seasons, was presented in Merrimack hall last night, under the auspices of the Young Men's

Catholic association and scored one of the biggest hits ever attained in the local amateur dramatic circles.

George R. Barker and wife, formerly of this town and of late of Cohasset, were elected superintendent and matron respectively of the town farm to succeed David Webb and wife who recently resigned, by the board of selectmen Monday night. The election was not unanimous, Selectmen Holt and Curley voting for the successful applicant. Selectman Campbell voted for James J. Stanley of Lawrence.

The Literary and Dramatic club of St. Paul's Episcopal church made its initial appearance in amateur dramatics last night when "Checkmate" was given before a capacity audience in the new parish hall. The production was presented by a carefully selected and well-drilled cast and easily takes rank with the best of such offerings. The splendid facilities afforded by the new hall aided materially in the success of the piece which was not lacking in any detail. Dancing followed the drama, music being furnished by the New Hampshire College orchestra.

The crowning social event in the annals of the North Andover club is promised in the "1915 Revel" to be held at the clubhouse and grounds on Thursday evening, June 17 and on Friday afternoon and evening, June 18. Looney Lane, a unique creation, will be one of the new hits in connection with the affair and the characters who will figure in this feature alone will afford lots of fun and amusement. All the usual and many odd features are being planned. There will be dancing throughout the evening and varied refreshments will be served. An elegant Victor machine is to be given away in connection with the affair.

METHUEN

A number of cases of measles have been reported in town recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Bruce of Nashua have been visiting in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel McCarthy of Clinton, N. J., have been visiting friends in town for the past few days.

The third degree was conferred at the meeting of Hope lodge, I. O. O. F., Monday night. A collation followed the degree work.

The funeral of Doris Mae Pettigill who committed suicide by drowning in the Spicket river Sunday was held at 2.30 o'clock, Wednesday afternoon. Burial was in Bellevue cemetery, Lawrence.

Considerable work has been done recently on the grounds and approaches to the Forest street union church. The steps have been put into proper condition, and the general appearance of the grounds about the church much improved.

A pleasant entertainment is being prepared for the entertainment which is to be given in connection with the lawn party to be conducted by circle B of the Baptist century fund at the home of Mrs. J. W. Buckley, Broadway, tonight.

Samuel Adams chapter D. A. R. will meet Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Varum C. Sanborn at Canobie Lake. Contributions for the summer school will be collected. The car leaves Essex street at 8.15 o'clock and Railroad square, Methuen, at 2.30.

The funeral of Mrs. Anna Bella Lupien, wife of George Lupien of 31 Piedmont street, who died Sunday morning aged 49 years, was held Wednesday morning at Mount Carmel church on Lowell street. Burial was in the immaculate Conception cemetery. She is survived by her husband and several children.

There was a large attendance at the meeting of Phillips circle, King's Daughters, Monday night, with Mrs. L. E. Barnes at the Turnpike. The meeting was in charge of Miss Elizabeth Morse and Miss Camella A. Howe led the devotional meeting, and an interesting session was held. This was the last meeting until September.

Miss Harriet Harris, domestic science teacher of the local schools, who leaves at the close of school for California, was tendered a pleasant surprise party at the home of Mrs. Kemp, Lowell street, Monday night, by the teachers of the Central building. At lunch Miss Harris found a journal by her plate, the gift of her associates for use on her trip. The evening was delightfully spent in social diversions. A victrola concert was a feature. Lunch was served.

Brook lodge, I. O. G. T., observed the 10th anniversary of its organization at Barker hall last Thursday night with a social and supper. The committee in charge comprised Lewis E. Robinson, Mrs. A. Spencer and Miss Gladys Spencer. On account of this observance, there was no regular meeting of the lodge on that date. Barker hall, where the observance was held, has recently been put in excellent shape, having been remodeled, repainted and having electric lights installed.

The men in the employ of the moth department expect to finish the work of spraying trees about the last of this month. There are several gangs of men at work on the trees in the various parts of the town. The number of men that can work is limited as each gang must have a sprayer of some kind. There are now two large power sprayers in the service of the department and several smaller hand pumps. The hand-worked machines are not nearly as good as the men who have the hose have to do a great amount of climbing in the trees, while the men with the large sprayers can reach about all the trees from the ground.

McDOUGALL'S MUSINGS

The European War

Since this monstrous, useless, and sanguinary war began in August, 1914, it is only now, in June, 1915, that we in this country begin to realize that it is a big war and may lead to this country taking a hand in the fighting. I do not think that the Lusitania incident in itself means a declaration of war against Germany by the United States of America. This Lusitania accident resulted, as the Germans say, from our own carelessness in not paying attention to their warning to American travellers intending to go to Europe not to sail on a ship flying the British flag. As an answer to the outburst of indignation caused by the drowning of women and children by a German submarine, the Germans say that the Cunard floating palace had ammunition in the hold which exploded and sank the vessel; that this contraband of war was the cause of the passengers not having time to leave the vessel, and that everyone on board had ample time to get into boats if it had not been for this ammunition exploding.

I have said that this Lusitania catastrophe in itself would not cause President Wilson to at once declare war, as the great "jingo" said he should. It was amusing to read the reports of what prominent clergymen in Boston and elsewhere said, two Sundays ago; even Billy Sunday's language is tame, compared with what even high church clergymen used when referring to the Lusitania disaster. I quote a few of the adjectives they used: "Murderous," "barbarous," "heathenish," "hellish," "damnable," and so on, and the great high church Episcopal clergyman of Boston said that this country should at once declare war!

It is, as ex-President Taft expressed, a great mercy that the country has just now a man like President Wilson at the

helm, and that Mr. Wilson would find out whether the laws as to usage at sea were or were not infringed by the general submarine tactics of Germany. Until this matter is thoroughly sifted, we must, as Mr. Asquith says, "wait and see."

The great changes lately in the make-up of the Asquith Cabinet may at first sight be taken as a proof that the British people are tired of this war and the Liberal, free-trade Asquith ministry. So far as continuing the war is concerned, the British government is far more warlike than it was, and Tories and Unionists, Labourists and Liberals are becoming united in waging this bitter war to the bitter end; and the Kaiser, instead of ordering another bottle of Red Rhine wine to drink to the consternation of Asquith's new crew, will find that such men as Mr. Balfour, Lord Lansdowne, the Earl of Crewe, and Kitchener are, like his old friend Bismarck, men of "blood and iron".

The number of men of all ranks killed or wounded since this war began ten months ago will run up into the hundreds of thousands. The cost of the war can only be counted by a person who can juggle with billions and billions of dollars.

I conclude this war musing by quoting the sense of what Mr. Taft said about the absurdity of thinking that war can be prevented by being well prepared for war in ships and soldiers. The Germans have been preparing for this war for over forty years. The only way to do away with all this stupid war and armament craze, according to Mr. Taft, was to have a world-wide court of arbitration. I heartily agree with the ex-president in this matter, and, as our Scottish poet says, I believe that the day will come when "man to man the world o'er shall brithers be for a' that."

IAN McDOUGALL

Old Glory

Some years ago Mr. Holt asked me one day in the Library, if I knew where the term "Old Glory" originated for the flag. Some one wrote to the Essex Institute, Horace Fisher of the Army, in 1910, that he had seen in the Boston Sunday Herald, June 26, 1910, a paper giving an account of a flag in the Essex Institute Museum, once owned by Captain William Driver of Salem. On sailing for the South Pacific in 1831, master of the brig Charles Doggett, he was presented with this flag which he christened "Old Glory". After retiring from the sea, he moved to Nashville, Tenn., in 1837, and died there in 1886. Early in the civil war Driver hung out "Old Glory" from his Union window. It was fired on, so he pulled it in till February 27, 1862, when Nelson entered Nashville with a division of Buell's army. Driver gave the flag to Nelson, who hoisted it over the capitol at Nashville. Fisher was on hand and added some things of interest about Grant's campaign in February, 1862, too long to quote here in full. He told, at the end, of 10,000 men in thirteen river steamers in a double column, led by the ironclad gunboats Tyler and Lexington, steaming up the Cumberland river. They expected the guns of Fort Zollikoffer, ten miles below Nashville, would head them off. These heavy siege guns were planted to command two miles of the approach. It was in the night, but at sunrise the flash from a big brass fellow was made by the sun alone; the garrison had left without spiking the guns, in haste, as they had heard of the surrender at Donelson of the Confederate Army which had been relied on to defend Nashville.

When our men reached the town, the bluffs were black with people, silent watchers of the Union boats clearing for action and the troops on the thirteen steamers getting ready for landing. All hospital flags were up, but no Confederate nor Union flags were to be seen. The first troops reached the square and took possession of the City Hall and the Capitol. Nelson asked for the mayor and officials. They came and surrendered the city formally. Nelson became responsible for the peace and order of the place, ordered all shops opened and posted guards at all the banks. The Ohio colors, Company 3, had been hoisted on the State House flagstaff. All the state officials had fled. A stout, middle-aged man, with gray hair and a rolling gait, came up and asked for the commanding general, who responded with a request for the man's name. "I am a Union man, thank the Lord; I came from Salem, Massachusetts, and am mighty glad to see our old flag once more on the State House. My name is Driver. I used to be a sea captain." General Nelson patted his shoulder and said he used to be in the Navy and every good seaman must be a good Union man. Driver carried over his arm a calico bed-quilt and began to rip open the cover of what proved to be a large American flag. "This is the flag I hope to see hoisted on that flagstaff in place of the damned Confederate flag set there by that damned rebel Governor Isham G. Harris. I have had hard work to save it. My house has been searched for it more than once. My wife devised a safe hiding-place for it by quilting it into this old calico quilt." He spoke with tears in his eyes. Nelson was nearly as much affected and sent it up to the top of the State House pole, while all heads were uncovered and the troops presented arms. It stayed there while he was in command at Nashville. So "Old Glory" finally came back home

safe to Salem; I suppose the heirs handed it over to the Institute. From 1831 on a ship in the South Pacific, to 1886 in Nashville when Driver died, now in 1915 at Salem safe home. Some one visiting the Institute will like to know about its story, as well as Mr. Holt, so I tell the tale to the Townsman.

C. H. A.

Popular Paragon Park

The unparalleled success of Paragon Park is due more to its Palm Garden than to any other feature for there one may enjoy the dual entertainment, the Cabaret and Dances, while dining. The cuisine and service are unrivalled and there is a carefully chosen wine list to order from.

The Dances every evening from 8.30 to 8.30 and 9 to 11.15 alternate with the Cabaret and guests are afforded an opportunity to indulge in dancing between courses in a cleared space among the tables. The music in the Palm Garden is provided by the Banjo Tango Band and the Palm Garden Orchestra.

The attractions in the Park are numerous and varied and every day in the Lagoon there are free exhibitions by Alber's 8 Trained Polar Bears who perform many marvelous stunts including shooting the chutes from a height of ninety feet into the Lagoon.

Another feature which is immensely popular with the children is the Monkey Mansion inhabited by many rare specimens from all parts of the world including the famous "Night Monkey."

There are firework displays every Wednesday and Saturday nights and the Italian Illumination on Sunday nights. Special Holiday features, Bunker Hill Day, will include a monster fireworks display.

BOSTON THEATRES

MAJESTIC

For the fifth week of the Star Stock Season at the Majestic theatre, beginning next Monday, June 14, the management of the Loneragan Players has secured Miss Edith Taliaferro to appear in the delightful play, "Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm," in which she achieved such notable success when she played the part in Boston for the first time in 1910 at the Tremont theatre. Since then Miss Taliaferro has appeared in divers characters, but none afforded her the opportunity to display all her winsomeness, naivete and charm better than "Rebecca."

The play is a simple little pastoral arranged from Kate Douglas Wiggin's famous Rebecca stories by the author and Charlotte Thompson, and those who learned to love "Rebecca" in the book will find her alive upon the stage, when, in the person of Miss Taliaferro, she moves through four acts of refreshing country life. The play is a reminder that however much the stage may wander from what is sweet and pure and simple and direct in its appeal, the public is ever ready to accord welcome to the truth and beauty of such plays as this whenever they reappear. Muck-raking and commercialism, passion and pain are but dimly echoed in "Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm." It helps to relax our minds and souls and to fit back for a time into the sunshine and happiness of our childhood days.

The members of the summer stock company at the Majestic have already demonstrated their versatility, and that they will commendably interpret the various characters in this piece, goes without saying.

TREMONT TEMPLE

As long as the war lasts there will be war pictures—but at the Tremont Temple, Boston, are now being shown the most remarkable moving pictures ever seen in Boston. They are not black and white pictures, but in beautiful Kinemacolor and show the armies and navies of the warring nations under the title of "With the Fighting Forces of Europe." These kinemacolor pictures are made by the same men and process as were the "Coronation" and "Delhi Durbar" pictures which ran at the Tremont Temple for six months. Torpedoes and submarines as well as Zeppelins and the air craft of Germany, France, England and Japan are shown in action and it is of the greatest interest to see the soldiers digging trenches behind earthworks and in the forests. Life-like and life-size are seen the German "Emperors on board ship" with Admiral Von Tirpitz the "Father" of submarine warfare. Actual photographs are reproduced by the moving pictures of the Serbian army, the Czar and his consorts, the Belgian army, the Grecian army, English, French, German, Turkish, Italian armies and navies and for good measure, Switzerland, Spain and the United States armies are pictured. Two performances are given daily at popular prices.

Christ Church Notes

The Sunday School Picnic will come on June 23 and will be held at Salem Willows. The School will hold its last regular session of the season on Sunday, but on each of the last two Sundays in June there will be a service for Sunday School scholars in the church at 12. Instead of the teachers, the Rector will teach the whole school.

K. O. K. A., Castle Taliesin, held a successful social evening for its closing meeting last Thursday.

The meetings of the Girls' Friendly Society have ceased until next fall. The barrel for Alaska was packed last Monday at the meeting and a pleasant gathering enjoyed. On Sunday at 4.30 the Admission service will be held, to which all friends are invited.

Phillips Commencement

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Andover; second prize, Spencer Hancock Logan, Chicago, Ill. The judges were: James W. Goodwin, Haverhill; Rev. C. W. Henry, Andover; Herbert H. Sharp, P. A. '80, of Salem, Ohio.

The program follows:
Supremacy and Its Conditions Curtis Guild
From a speech delivered a few years ago in Boston
Spencer Hancock Logan, Chicago, Ill.
The Man with the Hoe Edwin Morham
Written on seeing Millet's famous painting
William Boardman Knox, Andover
Centralisation in the United States
Henry Woodfin Gray

Edith Taliaferro, Andover, N. J.
The Cape to Cairo Railroad Alexander Powell
From "The Last Frontier"
Maurice S. Gould, Fort Washington, L. I., N. Y.
The Explorer Rodger Kipling
Paul Rice Dodge, St. Albans, Vt.
The True Grandeur of Nations Charles Sumner
From a speech delivered before the American Peace Society
Robert Tyng Bushnell, Andover

Class Day

On Thursday afternoon at 2.30 the Class Day exercises were held on the gymnasium campus. The weather was ideal for the occasion and a large audience was present to hear the history, oration, poem and prophecy given by members of the Senior class. Selections by an orchestra added to the enjoyment of the occasion. The committee of arrangements consisted of William A. Kirkland, chairman; Sydney Thayer, Allan V. Heely, Gordon R. West, and George D. Flynn. Following the exercises ivy was planted and a reception and tea was held on the grounds.

The program was as follows:
History Edward Ansley Fellows
Oration Robert Tyng Bushnell
Poem Charles Norman Pitts
Prophecy Noel Armstrong

Organ Recital

On Thursday evening at eight o'clock the Commencement Organ Recital was given in the chapel on the William C. Eggleston memorial organ. The organist was Everett E. Truette, P. A. 1878, and his rendition was enjoyed by a large audience. The program follows:

Prelude in B minor J. S. Bach
Offertoire in B flat King Hall
Sonata in D minor, Op. 45 Alce Gaudinot
Introduction and Allegro—Pastorale—Finale W. Waldteufel
The Answer Intermezzo
Grand Chorus From Suite in G minor
Spring Song Everett E. Truette
Fantasia on a Welsh March Alfred Holmes
W. T. East

Graduation Exercises

In the Stone Chapel at 10 o'clock this morning the 137th exhibition was held. The members of the Senior class escorted by the faculty and members of the alumni association, marched from the Archaeology building to the church, being preceded by the Andover Brass Band which furnished music. In the church the boys occupied reserved seats, while the remainder of the edifice was filled with relatives, friends and townspeople.

Principal Alfred E. Stearns presided, and the address in connection with the initiation service of the honorary scholarship society, Alpha Delta Tau, was delivered by Rev. John Winthrop Platner, D.D., of the Andover Theological Seminary, Cambridge. The members of the class of 1915 elected to the society are:


Theodore Ferguson Allen, William Howard Bovey, Jr., Robert Baker Donworth, Gustav Leon Harris, Charles Francis Hendrie, William Alexander Kirkland, Donald Wentworth Kitchin, Lester Hart Larrabee, Alexander Morrison McMorran, George Peter Murdoch, Jerome Preston, Edward Ellis Scofield, Joel Herbert Sharp, John Peters Stevens, Jr., William Wheelwright Torrey.

The following essays were delivered in competition for the Potter prizes:

Robert Tyng Bushnell Andover
The Career of Lord Roberts Meriden, Conn.
Lorenzo Hamilton Brooklyn, N. Y.
The Cape to Cairo Railroad Brooklyn, N. Y.
Charles Francis Hendrie Brooklyn, N. Y.
The Optimistic Philosophy of Tennison Needham, Wa.
Kimberly Stuart
Queen Louise of Prussia Maplewood, N. J.
Frederic Bailey Schell, Jr. Jean Francois Millet

The list of graduates follows:
Classical Department—George Chester Ames, Cortland, N. Y.; Joseph Albright Archibald, Buffalo, N. Y.; Robert Roberts Bishop, 2d, Newton Centre; William Howard Bovey, Jr., Minneapolis, Minn.; Charles Edward Bradley, Jr., Lawrence; Benjamin Yates Brewster, Glenwood Springs, Colo.; John Alexander Brough, New York, N. Y.; Tom Mitchell Brown, Winona, Minn.; Addison Center Burnham, Jr., Newton Centre; Robert Tyng Bushnell, Andover; Clifford Allen Butlerfield, Kingman, Me.; Irving Pemberton Corse, Minneapolis, Minn.; Frederick Goodrich Crane, Jr., Dalton; Robert Baker Donworth, Seattle, Wash.; Malcolm Galloway Drane, Chicago, Ill.; Jesse Albert Drew, Portland, Me.; Robert Chickering Fitch, Newton Centre; Charles Norman Pitts, Northampton; George Daniel Flynn, Jr., Fall River; Frederick Paul Gelbach, Jr., New York, N. Y.; John Morton Greene, 2d, Lowell; Leopold Gruener, Newton; Lorenzo Hamilton, Meriden, Conn.; Gustav Leon Harris, St. Louis, Mo.; Allan Vanderolf Heely, Plainfield, N. J.; Charles Francis Herron, Auburn, N. Y.; Irving George Hopkins, New York, N. Y.; George Frederick Jewett, Cambridge; Oswald Roberts Jones, Waterbury, Conn.; William Alexander Kirkland, Houston, Texas; John Crain Kunkel, Harrisburg, Pa.; Lester Hart Larrabee, Willimantic, Conn.; Norman

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UNITED CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
REV. AUGUSTUS H. FULLER, Pastor

10.30. Worship with special sermon to children by the pastor, followed by the distribution of Bibles. Sunday School to follow.
6.00. Y. P. S. C. E.

7.30 Thursday. Evening prayer meeting.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH
REV. RALPH C. SCOTT, Pastor

10.30. Worship with sermon by the pastor. Sunday School to follow.
3.00. Meeting of Junior League.
6.00. Children's concert.
7.00. Praise service, with prayer by pastor.
7.30 Thursday. Evening prayer meeting.

Freeman Abbott has purchased a valuable cow.

Miss Mary Cronin of Haverhill spent Sunday with relatives in the village.

Mrs. Harry Cutter of Wilmington spent Sunday with relatives in the village.

Mrs. Delia Teague and Mrs. Mary Russell spent Sunday with friends in Methuen.

Benjamin Dane won the prize bat offered by J. D. Scott. He had the fine average of 363.

Alonzo Hawkesworth and Arthur Scanlon of Lowell spent Monday with friends in the village.

Mr. and Mrs. Hazen Preston and Mrs. Nancy Cornell of Lawrence were the guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Horace S. Neal.

Master C. Mears and Master A. Stevenson won the prize of bat and ball offered by a local store keeper in a ball game held in Walker's field yesterday.

The regular meeting of Ballardvale lodge was held Monday evening. There was a good attendance. Visitors were present from Brook lodge, Methuen. A report was given of the district lodge held in Merrimack last Saturday.

The Ballardvale team is playing good ball and their battery work and the general work of the team is improving with every game and it is arousing the interest and enthusiasm in the village people as it did when there was one of the very best amateur teams in the state here. Let the good work continue.

BALLARDVALE 5, SALEM A. C. 4

Ballardvale won a well earned victory on the local playstead Saturday afternoon by defeating the Salem A. C. by a score of 5 to 4. Murphy pitched another star game being the only visitor who could solve his delivery. Dane, York and Platt batted well.

Ballardvale will play the Reading Highlands on the Playstead Saturday afternoon.

Rev. Augustus H. Fuller spent Wednesday with his sister Mrs. George P. Morse of Salem.

Dr. William Shaw has formally accepted the nomination for governor of the Prohibition party.

Plans are being made and petitions are being circulated for the Fourth of July celebration. Full particulars will be given in this column.

Observed Father's Night

There was a large attendance at the "Father's Night," held by the Bradlee Mother's club, Friday evening in the kindergarten room. The president Mrs. George Tuttle presided, and after an address of welcome announced the following exceptionally fine program:

Vocal solo, Mrs. Edward York; Recitation, Miss Ruth E. Lund;

PEASE FAMILY ALBUM

Cast of characters
Mrs. Pease, Mrs. Elmer Conkey; Father, Mrs. David Burns; Mother, Mrs. Joseph Greenwood; Girl, Mrs. Joseph Wood; Eben, Mrs. George Tuttle; Bride, Mrs. Irving R. Shaw; Twins, Mrs. Salmon Walker and Mrs. William Mathews; Parson, Mrs. Frank Juhlmann; Parson's Wife, Mrs. Roy M. Haynes; Sister Jane, Mrs. Fred Reid; Parson's boy, Mrs. Alfred C. Holland; Jane's husband, Mrs. William Clemons; Ann Eliza, Mrs. Edward York; Grandpa, Mrs. William Matthews; Grandpa Hobs, Mrs. Ralph Bruce; Village Beauty, Mrs. Holmes Bates.

All the parts of the program were well rendered and the Family Album caused no end of fun and amusement. Ice cream and cake were served. It was the most successful gathering ever held under the auspices of the club.

The Ballardvale Mills Co., have purchased a fine working horse.

Wedding

SCOTT-MEARDLE

Edward F. Scott, son of Mr. and Mrs. James F. Scott of Ballardvale was married to-day at a nuptial mass to Miss Ethel Meardle of Penacook N. H. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Fr. J. Brady at the Immaculate Conception church. After an extended wedding trip they will reside in Newport N. H.

Miss Minnie Shattuck has been spending several days with friends in the village.

The Children's day exercises at the Congregational church next Sunday will be a little different than they have been in the past. There will be no children's concert as it was voted by the school to have the annual children's concert on rally day in the fall instead. But the morning services will be devoted to the children. Seats will be reserved for them. There will be special singing and the pastor will give an address for the occasion and the presentation of Bibles will take place. Everybody will be welcome.

Plant Liner With Large Cargo Goes to Bottom Near Halifax

The steamship A. W. Perry of the Plant line, which went ashore on Sambro Head, near Halifax, filled and sank.

The steamship was worth \$100,000 and most of her large cargo was not insured. The Perry had forty-two passengers, all of whom were landed safely. The ship left Boston last Sunday.

Used Mails to Defraud

Pleading guilty to an indictment charging them with devising a scheme to defraud, by using the mails, Howell T. Wood and Lorenzo H. J. Hogle were each sentenced at Boston to a year and a day in jail.

Minnesota Saloons to Close

Eighty saloons in ten counties of Minnesota will be forced to discontinue operations as a result of county option elections. Only two of the twelve counties voting will retain saloons.

Charged With Moran Murder

Morgan D. Doyle and Lulu Moran, arraigned at Bangor, Me., charged with having murdered Stephen Moran, pleaded not guilty, but were ordered held for the supreme court without bail.

Phillips Commencement

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Wakefield MacDonald, Bar Harbor, Me.; Arthur Frederick Miller, Brooklyn, N. Y.; George Peter Murdoch, Meriden, Conn.; John Porter Orendorf, Chicago, Ill.; John Henry Painter, Jr., Kittanning, Pa.; Norman Kingsley Pearce, Lawrence; Jerome Preston, Lexington; George Wilson Rand, Hanover, N. H.; George Darley Randall, New York, N. Y.; Edwin Dow Rattray, Bangor, Me.; Walter Scott Robinson, Colorado Springs, Colo.; Clifford Rodman, Los Angeles, Cal.; Harold Tillinghast Sears, South Deerfield; Halvor Richardson Seward, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Joel Herbert Sharp, Salem, Ohio; Thomas Joseph Sheehan, Bangor, Me.; Samuel Sanford Sheffield, Newport, R. I.; Robinson Shepard, Franklin, N. H.; Henry Estes Small, Plainfield, N. J.; Raymond Winthrop Smith, New Haven, Conn.; John Peters Stevens, Jr., Plainfield, N. J.; Sydney Thayer, Jr., Merion, Pa.; William Wheelwright Torrey, Bedford; Warren Pratt Upham, Pasadena, Cal.; Frank Dale Warren, Jr., Plainfield, N. J.; Wentworth Williams, Woodstock, Vt.; John Brainerd Wilson, Jr., Concord, N. H.; Sidney Hedges Wirt, Brookline; Stanley Benjamin Wright, Orange, Conn.

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Scientific Department—Theodore Ferguson Allen, Meriden, Conn.; Charles Blanchard Beck, Chicago, Ill.; Edwin Laurine Blewer, Jr., Shreveport, La.; J. Horace Block, New York, N. Y.; George Thomas Boone, Salem, Ohio; Eckley Brinton Cox, 3d, Malvern, Pa.; Wallace Raymond Crumb, Forestville, Conn.; Colin Campbell Dawkins, Bayonne, N. J.; Everett Lafayette Farr, Detroit, Mich.; Edward Ansley Fellowes, Buffalo, N. Y.; William Alfred Garrigues, Jr., Plainfield, N. J.; Charles Francis Hendrie, Brooklyn, N. Y.; George Henry Heywood, Gardner; Donald Wentworth Kitchin, Methuen; George Clyde McCarten, Lancaster, N. H.; Peter Joseph McHugh, Lawrence; Alexander Morrison McMorran, Oak Hill, N. B. Canada; Henry Edward Maroney, West Medford; William Kenneth Pike, Andover; Hazen Curtis Pratt, Kenilworth, Ill.; Frederic Boley Schell, Jr., Maplewood, N. J.; Edward Ellis Scofield, Oconto, Wis.; Charles Wallace Scranton, Washington, N. J.; Charles Hart Spencer, Jr., Pittsburgh, Pa.; Kimberly Stuart, Neenah, Wis.; Dean Kingman Webster, Jr., Lawrence. Donald Romaine Brown, Barre; William Henry Good, New York, N. Y.; Robert Livingston Ireland, Jr., Cleveland, Ohio; Thayer Kingsbury, Keene, N. H.; Philip Russell Lowe, Andover; Roderick Fairchild Makepeace, Providence, R. I.; Richard Bowdoin Neiley, Winchester; Ralph Hotchkiss Pease, Torrington, Conn.; Mott Benner Ross, Morristown, N. J.; Wentzle Ruml, Jr., Cedar Rapids, Ia.; Alan Nathaniel Stein, New York, N. Y.; Northam Lancaster Wright, Centerbrook, Conn.; Herbert Franklin Young, Baltimore, Md.

Classical, 86; Scientific, 40. Total, 126.

The Senior honors as announced by Principal Stearns were as follows:

Bible—Edward Ausley Fellowes, Lester Hart Larrabee.
Chemistry—Robert Baker Donworth, Everett Lafayette Farr, Charles Francis Hendrie, Robinson Shepard, Alan Nathaniel Stein, Dean Kingman Webster, Jr.

English—Charles Francis Hendrie, Donald Wentworth Kitchin, Lester Hart Larrabee.

French, Elementary—George Henry Heywood, Irving George Hopkins, Lester Hart Larrabee.

French, Advanced—Robert Baker Donworth, Paul Beecher Farnsworth, William Alexander Kirkland, Donald Wentworth Kitchin, John Peters Stevens, Jr.

German, Elementary—Jerome Preston.

German, Advanced—Paul Beecher Farnsworth, Charles Francis Hendrie, Donald Wentworth Kitchin, Lester Hart Larrabee, George Peter Murdoch, Raymond Winthrop Smith.

Greek—George Daniel Flynn, Jr., William Alexander Kirkland, John Peters Stevens, Jr., William Wentworth Torrey.

History—Jerome Preston.
Latin—William Howard Bovey, Jr., Robert Baker Donworth, William Alexander Kirkland, Frank Dale Warren, Jr.

Latin Composition—William Alexander Kirkland.

Mechanical Drawing—Lorenzo Hamilton, Montville Ellsworth Peck, Hazen Curtis Pratt, Edward Ellis Scofield.

Physics—Gustav Leon Harris, Donald Wentworth Kitchin, Hazen Curtis Pratt, Robinson Shepard, Edward Ellis Scofield, William Wheelwright Torrey.

Solid Geometry—Robert Baker Donworth, Everett Lafayette Farr, Charles Francis Hendrie, Donald Wentworth

Kitchin, Lester Hart Larrabee, Joel Herbert Sharp.

Trigonometry—Robert Baker Donworth, Everett Lafayette Farr, Charles Francis Hendrie, Lester Hart Larrabee, George Clyde McCarten, Jerome Preston, Joel Herbert Sharp.

Prizes Awarded

The Draper Prizes, selected declamations, \$25, \$15 (already awarded); endowed by the late W. F. Draper of the class of 1843. First, Robert Tyng Bushnell, Andover; second, Spencer Hancock Logan, Chicago, Ill. Committee of award: James W. Goodwin, Haverhill; Rev. C. W. Henry, Andover; Herbert H. Sharp, Salem, Ohio.

The Means Prizes, original declamations, \$20, \$12, \$8 (already awarded); endowed by the late William G. Means, Boston, Class of 1867. First, Kimberly Stuart, Neenah, Wis.; second, Robert Tyng Bushnell, Andover; third, Raymond Fairchild Beardsley, Roxbury, Conn. Committee of award: Prin. George H. Browne, A.M., Browne and Nichols School, Boston; Samuel F. Holmes, A.M., Worcester Academy, Worcester; George C. Greener, North Bennett Street Industrial School, Boston.

The Harvard English Prizes, English Composition and Rhetoric, \$15, \$10, sustained by the Andover Club at Harvard. First, Robert Tyng Bushnell, Andover; second, George Peter Murdoch, Meriden, Conn. Judge: William E. Golden, Head of the Department of English, Polytechnic Preparatory School of Brooklyn, N. Y.

The Robinson Prizes, extemporaneous debate, \$10, \$10, \$10 (already awarded); endowed by the late Henry S. Robinson of Andover. Robert Tyng Bushnell, Andover; Elliott Speer, Englewood, N. J.; Laurence Wellman Beilsen, Helena, Ark. Committee of award: Bartlett H. Hayes, Andover; Rev. C. W. Henry, Andover; Addison B. LeBoutillier, Andover.

The Cook Prizes, excellence in Greek, \$15, \$10, \$5; endowed by the late Joseph Cook, L.L.D., class of 1857. First, John Peters Stevens, Jr., Plainfield, N. J.; second, Samuel Sanford Sheffield, Newport, R. I.; third, George Daniel Flynn, Jr., Fall River. Judge: Dr. Francis H. Fobes, Lexington.

The Robert Stevenson German Prize, excellence in German Composition; founded by Robert Stevenson, Jr., class of 1896, \$8. Donald Wentworth Kitchin, Lawrence; honorable mention, Charles Francis Hendrie, Brooklyn, N. Y. Judge: Francis J. A. Neff, Assl. Professor of German in Dartmouth College.

The Convers Prizes, excellence in Mathematics, awarded on the basis of a competitive examination in plane geometry—open to members of the Classical Department, \$20, \$15, \$10; endowed by the late E. B. Convers of Englewood, N. J., class of 1857. First, Charles Lloyd Thomas, Fall River; second, Charles Earle Nichols, Jr., Jefferson, N. Y.; third, Frank Kenneth Hardy, Andover. Judge: Arvie Eldred, A.B., Superintendent of Schools, Troy, N. Y.

The Dove Prizes, excellence in Latin, \$20, \$15, \$10; founded by the late G. W. W. Dove of Andover, and sustained by his sons. First and second divided between William Alexander Kirkland, Houston, Texas, Frank Dale Warren, Jr., New York City; third, George Daniel Flynn, Jr., Fall River. Judge: Prof. William Fenwick Harris, Cambridge.

The William S. Wadsworth Prize, for excellence in Physics, \$10; sustained by Dr. W. S. Wadsworth of Philadelphia, class of 1887. Chi-yen Huang, Canton, China. Judge: Frederick M. Boyce, A.M., Instructor in Physics, Phillips Academy, Andover.

The Valpey Classical Prizes, Latin and Greek Composition, \$10, \$10; founded by the bequest of the late Rev. Thomas G. Valpey, class of 1854. Greek: Clark Smith Beardslee, Newbury, N. H.; honorable mention, William Drew Washburn, 3d, Minneapolis, Minn. Judge: Horace M. Poynter, Instructor in Greek in Phillips Academy, Andover. Latin: Clark Smith Beardslee, Newbury, N. H. Judge: George W. Hinman, Instructor in Phillips Academy.

The Frederic Holkins Taylor Prize, founded in 1908 by an anonymous friend, of the class of 1868, for excellence in French Conversation, or French Composition, \$8. Jack Morris Butts Wright, New York City; honorable mention, Donald Wentworth Kitchin, Methuen. Judge: Charles A. Parmelee, A.M., Instructor in French in Phillips Academy, Andover.

The Boston Yale Club Cup, awarded to that member of the Senior Class who attains the greatest proficiency in scholarship and athletics; given by the Yale Club of Boston. Edward Ansley Fellowes, Buffalo, N. Y. Committee of award: the Faculty of Phillips Academy.

Prize for excellence in American Archaeology, \$25; sustained by Charles Peabody, Ph.D., Director of the Department. John Crain Kunkel, Harrisburg, Pa. Judge: Dr. Charles Peabody, Director of the Department.

The New England Federation of Harvard Clubs Prize, for excellence in scholarship combined with either excellence in many sports or with any example of distinguished moral courage or endeavor; for a student who is taking the preliminary examinations for Harvard College. Three books—"Europe Since 1815" by Prof. Charles Downer Hazen of Smith College; "The American Commonwealth" (2 vols.) by Hon. James Bryce of England. Paul Rice Doolin, St. Albans, Vt. Committee of award: the Faculty of Phillips Academy.

The Schweppe Prizes, for excellence in English, \$30, \$20; sustained by Charles H. Schweppe, class of 1898. First, Raymond Fairchild Beardsley, Roxbury, Conn.; second, Charles Francis Hendrie, Brooklyn, N. Y. Judge: Edward Brooks, Andover.

The John Aiken German Prizes, for excellence in German Prose, \$30, \$20;

sustained by a member of the class of 1873 in memory of John Aiken, a member of the Board of Trustees from 1845 to 1863. First, Donald Wentworth Kitchin, Lawrence; second, Charles Francis Hendrie, Brooklyn, N. Y. Committee of award: the Faculty of Phillips Academy.

The Fuller Prize, awarded to that member of the Senior class who has best exemplified and upheld in his life and work at Andover the ideals and traditions of the school, \$50; sustained by Samuel Lester Fuller, class of 1894. William Kirkland Alexander, Houston, Texas. Committee of award: the Faculty of Phillips Academy.

The Faculty Prize, awarded to that member of the Senior class who has maintained the highest general average in scholarship, \$50; sustained by Sanford H. E. Freund, class of 1897. Donald Wentworth Kitchin, Lawrence. Committee of award: the Faculty of Phillips Academy.

The Otis Prize, awarded to that member of the Senior class who, having been a member of the school for at least three years, has in the judgment of the Faculty shown the greatest general improvement, \$50; sustained by Joseph Edward Otis, class of 1888. Divided between George Daniel Flynn, Jr., Fall River, Edward Ansley Fellowes, Buffalo, N. Y. Committee of award: the Faculty of Phillips Academy.

The Snell History Prize, for excellence in American History, \$50; sustained by Bertrand H. Snell of Potsdam, N. Y.

The Harvard-Andover Scholarships, sustained by Mr. Henry S. Van Duzer of the class of 1871. 1. \$300, available for a graduate of Phillips Academy during his Freshman year in Harvard College; the award, based on high scholarship, to be announced at the close of the recipient's Senior year in the school. Jerome Preston, Lexington. 2. \$300, awarded on the basis of high scholarship to a member of the incoming Senior class who is preparing for Harvard; the award to be announced at the close of the student's Middle year on the basis of his record up to that time. Paul Rice Doolin, St. Albans, Vt. Committee of award: the Faculty of Phillips Academy.

Junior Public Speaking Contest (already awarded); two cups. Henry Van Campen Heilner, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Raymond Herbert Hull, New Haven, Conn. Committee of award: Arthur W. Leonard, A.B., Douglas Crawford, A.B., Cecil K. Bancroft, A.B., of the Faculty of Phillips Academy.

Cornell Alumni Cup, awarded to that member of the Senior class who is preparing for Cornell and has attained the highest proficiency in scholarship and athletics. Charles Blanchard Beck, Chicago, Ill. Committee of award: the Faculty of Phillips Academy.

Columbia University Scholarship, awarded to that member of the Senior class who has satisfied the full requirements for admission to the college and whose standing in the Academy has been of sufficiently high grade to gain the recommendation of the school faculty. Walter Scott Robinson, Colorado Springs, Colo. Committee of award: the Faculty of Phillips Academy.

The Butler-Thwing Prize (already awarded), awarded to that member of the Junior class who has secured the highest average on his examinations for entrance to the Academy; sustained by Francis Wendell Butler-Thwing, class of 1908. Harold Ballard Walker, Ballardvale. Committee of award: the Faculty of Phillips Academy.

The James Greenleaf Fuller Memorial Scholarship; sustained by Samuel Lester Fuller, of the class of 1894, in memory of his brother; \$200 available during his Senior year for a student of limited means who in the judgment of the principal, embodies in scholarship, character and influence the best ideals of school life. Clinton McCarthy Jones, Hammond, N. Y. Judge: the Principal of Phillips Academy.

P. A. '94, Harvard '98, Scholarship. To be awarded during his Senior year in Phillips Academy to a student of limited means who has been in the Academy not less than one year, and is preparing for Harvard, the recipient to be in good scholarship standing, and in the judgment of the Principal to possess the best qualities of all-round leadership; \$200.

The George Lauder Prize, for excellence in English History; sustained by George Lauder, class of 1897; \$50. Hsieh-hai Hsieh, Wush, China; honorable mention, Paul Rice Doolin, St. Albans, Vt. Judge: Prof. H. M. Varrall of Simmons College.

The prize for excellence in Chemistry, \$50 (awarded for the highest grade of work for the entire year). Hsuing Tsoi, Songlin, China. Judge: Frederick M. Boyce, Instructor in Physics in Phillips Academy, Andover.

Andrew Potter Prizes, best essays on assigned subjects at Commencement Exercises, \$30, \$20; sustained by James T. Potter, class of 1890.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Miss Lauretta Sweet of Goffstown, N. H., has been visiting Mrs. Catherine E. Colby of Salem street.

The field meeting of the Andover Natural History Society arranged for tomorrow has been postponed till Saturday, June 19.

Mrs. E. Hollis Temple of Belmont has been visiting Miss Colby of Salem street and attending Commencement exercises at Abbot.

The annual picnic of the Free church Sunday school will be held at Salem Willows on Saturday July 10th. Full particulars and a list of sports will be given next week.

The Gen. Wm. F. Bartlett W. R. C. held their regular meeting Tuesday evening. After the business session refreshments were served by Mrs. James Walker and Miss Laura Farnham.

GENERAL NEWS EVENTS

Four men were killed and two seriously injured when a passenger train struck an automobile at a railroad crossing in South Dighton, Mass.

Two cars of a freight train caught fire in the Hoosac tunnel and trame over both tracks was blocked.

Irving Rose, 35, of Auburn, Me., waded beyond his depth in the Androscoggin river and was drowned.

New Ashford, Mass., enjoys the reputation of being the only town in the United States without a dog.

The new destroyer Cushing, which is having her builders' trials, has developed a speed of 30.6 knots.

Vice Admiral Albert, chief of the French naval headquarters staff, died at Paris, aged 67.

Major Ray P. Eaton of Brunswick has resigned as commander of the department of Maine, G. A. R.

John J. Casey, 22, of Worcester, while stealing a ride to Boston was killed by a train.

Rev. Dr. Jesse B. Thomas, 82, theologian and author, pastor-emeritus of the Baptist temple of Brooklyn, died at his home in that city.

Three occupants of an automobile were killed at Benwood, W. Va., when the machine was struck by a train.

Mrs. Lyman A. Nichols was killed and her daughter, Miss Ruth Nichols, was perhaps fatally injured in an automobile accident at Phoenixville, Conn.

Phil Lacourse, 15, went in swimming at St. Albans, Vt., was seized with cramps and drowned.

James Duncan of Quincy, Mass., was re-elected to the presidency of the International Granite Cutters' association of the United States and Canada.

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